CONTENTS OF INDEX.

	Page
INDEX TO GAZETTE, FROM JULY TO DECEMBER 1883, PART I - -	1
Governor General's Orders and Notifications—	
Military Secretary's Office - - - - - - - -	28
Legislative Department - - - - - - - -	*ib.*
Home Department - - - - - - - - -	*ib.*
Foreign Department - - - - - - - - -	*ib.*
Department of Finance and Commerce - - - - - -	29
Military Department - - - - - - - - -	30
Marine Department - - - - - - - - -	*ib.*
Public Works Department - - - - - - - -	*ib*
Telegraph Department - - - - - - - - -	*ib.*
Specifications of Inventions - - - - - - - -	*ib.*
INDEX TO GAZETTE, FROM JULY TO DECEMBER 1883, PART II - -	35
DITTO DITTO PART III - -	43
DITTO DITTO PART IV - -	45
DITTO DITTO PART V - -	47
INDEX TO GAZETTE OF INDIA, EXTRAORDINARY, FROM JULY TO DEC. 1883 -	49
INDEX TO SUPPLEMENTS TO GAZETTE, FROM JULY TO DECEMBER 1883 -	51
INDEX TO EXTRA SUPPLEMENT TO GAZETTE, FROM JULY TO DEC. 1883 -	53

INDEX TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

PART I.

Page

A

ABAZ KHAN, Jemadar, 4th Sikh infy., to be subadar 363
Abbott, Capt. and Bt. Maj. G. M., promn. to maj., B.S.C., approved. 294
Abdoolla Khan, Ressaidar, 5th Punjab cavy., promtd. to ressaldar 506
Abdul Rahim Hakim, Khan Bahadur, asst. surgn., native asst. to poll. resdt. in Persian Gulf, granted priv. leave 401
Abdul Summud, Duffadar, 5th Punjab cavy., to be jemadar 322
Act XII of 1850:—Extended to scheduled dists. of the Punjab 505
Act II of 1857, sec. 12:—Affiliation of certain college to Calcutta university authorised under— . 331
Act XI of 1865:—Extended to certain lands of Sindia state ry. 307
Act XIV of 1866, secs. 20 and 21:—Transmission by letter post of reply post-cards authorised under— 497
Act VII of 1870, sec. 35:—Remission, &c., of court-fees under— 397, 439
Act XIV of 1874, sec. 5:—Extn. of certain Act to Assam under— 486
Act XIV of 1874, sec. 5:—Extn. of certain Act to the scheduled dists. of the Punjab under— . . 505
Act XVII of 1875, sec. 38:—Apptts. made under—for Burma 355
Act XVII of 1875, sec. 8:—Establt., &c., of courts in Burma under— 387
Act VIII of 1876, sec. 46:—Altns. in certain rule under— 388
Act X of 1877:—Extended in part to certain lands of Sindia state ry. 307
Act VIII of 1878, sec. 19:—Prohibition to import dynamite, &c., into British India under— . . 285
Act VIII of 1878, sec. 23:—Exemption from importation duty under— 434
Act XI of 1878, sec. 17:—Rule under—377; addn. to certain clause of exemptions under— . . 459
Act I of 1879, sec. 8:—Remission of stamp duty under—357; reduction of stamp duty under—418; exemption of stamp duty under— 441, 471
Act XI of 1879, secs. 5 and 7:—Rules under— . 346
Act XXI of 1879, secs. 4 and 5:—Notfn. regarding Sindia state ry. lands under—307; declaration of application of certain Acts to station of Bangalore under— 332

Page

Act XXI of 1879, secs. 4 and 6:—Apptt. of justices of the peace under— 289, 346, 38
Act III of 1880, sec. 28:—Investing cantt. offrs. with certain powers under—. 40
Act III of 1880, sec. 9:—Administration of police (Baroda) vested in certain offr. under—. . . 49
Act III of 1880:—Extended to cantt. of Deesa (with modifications) 46
Act XVI of 1881, sec. 8:—Rules for fairways to certain ports under— 362, 39
Act XXVI of 1881, sec. 3:—Apptt. made under—433, 463, 469, 483, 495, 49
Act (Army) of 1881, sec. 133:—Buildings set apart as mily. prisons under— 37
Act X of 1882, sec. 12:—Certain cantt. offr. invested with certain powers under— 40
Act XII of 1882, sec. 7:—Imposing of duty on certain salt under— 285, 3
Act I of 1883:—Extended to Assam . . . 4
Act XX of 1883, sec. 57 (1):—Erratum in— . 4
Addis, Mr. H. B., exc. engr., 2nd grade, ry. branch, p. w. d., granted furlo. 3
Aden:—Duty on salt manufactured in— . . 3
Aitchison, the *Hon'ble Sir* C. U., K.C.S.I., C.I.E., lt.-govr. of the Punjab, to be hony. col., 2nd Punjab vol. rifle corps 3
Aitchison, Surgn.-Maj. J. E. T., M.D., C.I.E., Indian medl. service, to be secy. to the surgn.-genl., H. M.'s forces, Bengal 5
Akbar Khan, Duffadar, 13th Bengal lancers, to be jemadar 4
Alay Muhammad, a probnr., C. P., to be a member of the B. C. S. 4
Allen, Mr. P. R.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 3
Allen, Surgn.-Maj. W. E., Bhopal battn., furlo. out of India 3
Alliar Khan, Havildar, 16th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 3
Amir Ali, Mr., barrister-at-law, nominated to be an addl. member of govr.-genl.'s legis. council . 4
Amir Khan, Jemadar, 1st regt., C. I. Horse, permtd. to resign his commn. 4
Amur Singh, Kote-Duffadar, 5th Punjab cavy., promtd. to jemadar 5
Andeenaroydoo, Subadar, 30th N. I., admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title "Bahadur" 3
Anderson, Condr. A., ord. dept., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 373; granted further extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 4

Page

Anderson, Lt.-Col. C. J., Bo.S.C., promtd. to col. . 350
Anderson, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) F. C., B.S.C., admtd. to col.'s allwce. 492
Anderson, Mr. G. A., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, p. w. d., ry. branch, 344; transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Madras for employment on Nellore-Tirupatis ry. surv. . . 444
Anderson, Mr. G. M., to be lt., Calcutta N. A. V. corps 443
Anderson, Col. H. C., Bengal, placed on list of maj.-generals 457
Anderson, Maj. H. S., Bengal army:—Retirement of—approved 373; transfer of—to half-pay list cancelled 373; granted hony. rank of lt.-col. on retirement 373
Anderson, Lt. R. F. H., East Surrey regt., wg. offr., 5th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 412
Anderson, Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. W., Madras estabt., to have hony. rank of capt. . . . 321
Angelo, Lt.-Col. R. F., B.S.C., permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval 328; retirement of—approved 473; to have hony. rank of col. on retirement 473
Ansell, Lt. A. Y., Welsh regt., placed at disp. of govt. of Madras in view to apptt. to S.C. of that presidency 302
Anthony, Mr. A. H., apptd. to offe. as asst. acctt. genl., Bengal, and recd. charge of duties of apptt. 339; made over charge of duties as asst. comptr., Indian treasuries, 464; assumed charge of his apptt. as offg. asst. acctt. genl., Bombay 483
Appleton, Lt. H., R.E., promtd. permtly. to asst. engr., 1st grade, mily. works dept. . . . 287
Armington, Mr. P.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 371
Armstrong, Surgn. J.:—Services of—temply. placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 279; services of—replaced at disp. of mily. dept. . . 469
Ashfield, Capt. W., invested with powers of a magte. of 2nd class, to be exercised within limits of Mhow cantt. 401; invested with powers to try breaches of any rules or regns. made under sec. 25 of Act III of 1880 and applying to cantt. of Mhow 401
Ashpitel, Mr. F. W., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Madras 424
Atkins, Maj. W., genl. list, infy., permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval . 506
Atkinson, Mr. E. F. T., B.C.S., apptd. to offe. as comptr. genl. and head comr. of paper currency, 454; recd. charge. of offices of comptr. genl. and head comr. of paper currency . . . 464
Atlay, Ven'ble B. T., Offg. Archdeacon of Calcutta, granted priv. leave 471
Avetoom, Surgn. S. T.:—Bde. Order regarding holding medl. charge of 1st regt., C. I. Horse, confirmed 371; held medl. charge of Western Malwa poll. agency 372
Ayrton, Mr. W. E.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 371
Azam Dulerai Raghunathrai, Mazumdar of province of Kathiawar.—Title of "Rao Bahadur" conferred upon— 355
Azeemoolla Khan, jemadar, 13th Bengal lancers, to [illegible]

Page

B

Badgley, Maj. W., promn. to lt.-col., B.S.C., approved . . . . . 2[illegible]
Bagh Singh, Havildar, 24th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 2[illegible]
Bagley, Mr. F. R., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.*, p. w. d., ry. branch . . . . 3[illegible]
Bagshawe, Mr. C., offg. depy. consvr. of 2nd grade in N.-W. P. and Oudh, will act as consvr. of central circle, forest dept. . . . . 3[illegible]
Bahadur Goorung, Jemadar, to be subadar, 1st Goorkha regt. . . . . 4[illegible]
Bailey, Maj. F., R.E., offg. as consvr. of forests, 2nd grade, confirmed in that apptt. . . . 3[illegible]
Bailey, Mr. R. J., British Burma, promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade . . . . . 3[illegible]
Bairnsfather, Lt. T. H., from Cheshire regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt., approved . . 4[illegible]
Baldwin, Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. R. J., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement . . . . 4[illegible]
Balston, Mr. C. R. T., to offe. as exmr. of accts., Punjab Northern state ry., with rank of exmr., 4th class, 3rd grade . . . . . 4[illegible]
Baly, the Ven'ble J., M.A., Archdeacon of Calcutta, permtd. to retire from the service . . . 3[illegible]
Bancroft, Mr. C.C., vice and depy. consul-genl. for U.S.A. at Calcutta, assumed charge of duties of consul-genl. at Calcutta . . . . . 4[illegible]
Banerjee, Babu Preonath, Assam, promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade . . . . . 3[illegible]
Bangalore:—Certain Acts declared to be applicable to a certain extent, and with modifications, to civil and mily. station of— . . . . . 3[illegible]
Banon, Capt. A. T., B.S.C., wg. offr., 39th N. I., granted furlo. out of India (p. a.) . . . . 4[illegible]
Barbour, Mr. D. M., B.C.S., secy. to govt. of India in dept. of finance and commerce, granted priv. leave 454; made over charge of offe. of secy. to govt. of India in dept. of finance and commerce . 4[illegible]
Baring, Maj. E., C.S.I., C.I.E., member of govr. genl.'s council, nominated and apptd. an extra K.C.S.I. 396; resigned his seat as an ordy. member of govr.-genl.'s council . . . . 4[illegible]
Barkley, *Hon'ble* D. G.:—Resignation by—of his office of addl. member of govr. genl.'s legis. council, accepted . . . . . 4[illegible]
Barlow, Mr. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal . . . . . 4[illegible]
Barlow, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) W. J. P., B.S.C., admtd. to col.'s allwce. . . . . 3[illegible]
Barnes, Mr. H. C., depy. exmr., 2nd grade, p. w. d., re-transfd. to engr. estabt., with rank of asst. engr., 1st grade, and posted to Bengal . . . 3[illegible]
Barnes, Mr. H. S., C. S., apptd. a poll. agent of 3rd class, and posted as poll. agent in Quetta and Peshin 454; granted priv. leave . . . . 4[illegible]
Barnet, Lt. H. H., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, ry. branch:—Services of—placed at disp. of mily. dept. . . . . 4[illegible]
Baroda:—Administration of police in cantt. of—vested in offr. holding for time being apptt. of cantt. magte. at— . . . . . 4[illegible]
Barron, Maj. W., B.S.C., depy. supdt., 3rd grade, [illegible]

Page

Barrow, Capt. F., B.S.C., promtd. to maj., subject to H. M.'s approval 457
Barrow, Mr. W. D., asst. engr., 2nd grade, state rys.:—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 444
Barrow, Mr. W. F., reverted to depy. exmr., 1st grade, p. w. d. 493
Barter, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) R., C.B., B.S.C.:—Good service pension conferred upon— 407
Bartholomeusz, Surgn. M. L.:—Services of—replaced at disp. of govt. of Bombay 497
Bartleman, Lt.-Col. J., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 435
Bartleman, Lt.-Col. W. F., Bengal infy., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 286; promn. of—to bt. col. approved 423
Basel Mission Tile-works:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 464
Batten, Mr. S. G., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424; services of—placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 444
Battye, Lt.-Col. A., C.B., B.S.C., comdt., 2nd (Prince of Wales' (Own) Goorkha regt., furlo. out of India 442
Baumgartner, Col. T. M., Bo.S.C., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 397
Baylay, Maj. C. A., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Beasley, Revd. E. M., B.A., chaplain, Morar, granted priv. leave 377; to be a senr. chaplain . . 490
Beatson, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. W. B., M.D., granted furlo. (m. c.) 293
Beauchamp, Maj. C. S., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. 389; further extn. of furlo. (m. c.) . . . 460
Beckett, Depy. Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. G. S., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement . . 350
Beckett, Maj. S., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 390
Beckett, Maj. W. H., genl. list, infy., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 350
Beeman, Mr. J. S.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— 280
Beer, Mr. H.:—Apptt. of—as vice-consul for Portugal at Calcutta recognised, subject to confirmation 326; recognition as above confirmed . . 490
Beresford, Transport Sergt. T., comst. dept., to be sub-condr. 488
Bergman, Lt.-Col. C. H., Bengal Infy.:—Promn. of—to bt. col. approved 390
Bertrand, Mr. E.—Apptt. of—as vice-consul for France, at Aden, recognised, subject to confirmation 372; recognition as above confirmed . . 490
Bevan, Mr. J. F., apptd. to offe. as supdt., 2nd grade, Indian tel. dept 461
Beville, Lt.-Col. G. F., Bo.S.C.:—Promn. of—to rank of col. antedated 350
Bhagat Singh, Asst. Engr., 1st grade, Rajputana, temply. promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, p. w. d. . 435
Bhavnagar-Gondal Ry.:—Kathiawar poll. agency courts to exercise jurisdiction in case of all civil suits against H. H. the Thakur Saheb of Bhavnagar and the admrs. of the Gondal state as proprietors of— 371
Bhawalpur.—Notfn. regarding extn. of laws to, and exercise of jurisdiction over, a piece of land situated in—territory and required for head works of Bhawalwah-Lodran canal 396

Page

Bhoop Singh, Jemadar, 25th N. I., to be subadar . 322
Biddulph, Maj. J., poll. agent in Bhopawar, apptd. a justice of peace within certain limits . . 387
Biddulph, Mr. T. H. S., apptd. to offe. as depy. acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh, 327; recd. charge of above apptt. 350
Biedermann, Mr. L., actg. consul for Belgium at Rangoon, resumed charge of his office 280; apptt. of as above recognised 497
Bienenfeld, Mr. V., vice-consul for Italy at Aden, resumed charge of his office 506
Biggs, Mr. T. H., asst. comptr. genl., availed himself of priv. leave 301; resumed charge of his duties 402; apptd. to offe. as comptr. of Indian treasuries, and recd. charge of duties of above . . 423
Bignell, Mr. R. A. D'O., offg. dist. supdt. of police, Ajmere, confirmed in his apptt. 483
Bilderbeck, Surgn.-Maj. J., Madras army, to have hony. rank of bde.-surgn. on retirement . . 342
Billings, Lt. C. H., from East Lancashire regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as lt. approved . . . 351
Birch, Lt. A. H. C., R.A., to be 2nd subaltern, No. 4, mountain batty., Punjab frontier force . . 402
Birch, Mr. J., senr. apothy., transfd. to pension establishment 443
Birch, Maj. W. B., B.S.C., 2nd asst. supdt., offg. depy. supdt., Port Blair and Nicobars, furlo. out of India 302; above cancelled and other furlo. granted 407
Bird, Mr. E. C., promtd. to offe. as supdt., 3rd grade, Indian tel. dept. 353
Bird, Lt. W. J. B., B.S.C., to offe. as 2nd asst. secy. to govt. of India in mily. dept. 487; promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval . . 502
Biss, Mr. T. W., made over charge of office of depy. acctt. genl., Bombay 464
Bisset, Maj. W. S. S., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. . 434
Black, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) S., B.S.C., permtd. to reside out of India 502
Blackman, Mr. J. M.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 439
Blissett, Mr. T., promtd. to offe. as supdt., 1st grade, Indian tel. dept., 353; promtd. to supdt., 1st grade 391
Blunt, Lt. E., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . 46[illegible]
Boddam, Col. H. M., B.S.C., transfd. to unemployed supy. list . . . . . 39[illegible]
Boileau, Lt. T. S., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . . . 44[illegible]
Bomwetsch, Color-Sergt. G. S., to be a lt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps, 434; to be a capt. . . . 48[illegible]
Boteler, Mr. R., to offe. as supdt., 3rd grade, Indian tel. dept. . . . . 44[illegible]
Boughey, Maj. G. F. O., R.E., manager, promtd. temply. to class I, grade 2, superior reve. estabt. of state rys. 50
Boville, Surgn. E., M.B., extn. of furlo. (p. a.), 362; above cancelled and other extn. of furlo. granted . 37
Bowen, Revd. E. G. A., to be hony. chaplain, E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps 38
Bowring, Lt. G., from Dorsetshire regt.:—Admn. of — to B.S.C. as a lt., approved 44
Boyd, Mr. E. A., promtd. to supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept. 39
Brackenbury, Capt. M. C., R.E., promtd. permtly. to exe. engr., 2nd grade 44

Page

Bradbury, Sub-Condr. C. G., adjt. genl.'s office, transfd. to pension estabt. 313
Bradford, Lt.-Col. E. R. C., C.S.I., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . 461
Brady, Condr. G., ord. dept., Hyderabad contgt., to be a depy. asst. comsy. 294; to be an hony. lt. . 407
Braham, Mr. F. E., asst. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, p. w. d., granted extn. of leave 461
Brake, Bde.-Surgn. J., civil surgn., Nagpur:—Services of — replaced at disp. of mily. dept. . 289
Brand, Mr. W. H., transfd. to office of exmr., p. w. accts., N.-W. P. and Oudh 444
Brander, Lt. H. R., Leinster regt., wg. offr., 32nd N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . 367
Branfill, Lt.-Col. B. R., cavy., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 397
Brassington, Mr. J. W., exe. engr., 3rd grade, Rajputana:—Services of — placed temply. at disp. of Punjab govt. 287
Brebner, Lt. J. M., R.N.R., to be comdr., Calcutta naval arty. voltr. corps 391
Brereton, Mr. C. H., traffic candidate, Indus Valley and Kandahar state ry., promtd. to class IV of state ry., superior reve. estabt. 375
Brereton, Mr. W. R. J., promtd. to depy. consvr. of forests, 1st grade 471
Briggs, Sub-Condr. G. H., on probn., confirmed in his present grade 466
Brind, Maj. E. A., Connaught Rangers, to be a depy. asst. adjt. genl. on estabt. 434
Brind, Mr. M. J., promtd. to offe. as supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept. 391
Briscoe, Capt. H. M., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. . 293
Broadbent, Capt. J. E., R.E., asst. secy. to govt. of India, mily. dept., promtd. to exe. engr., 1st grade 457
Brockman, Mr. W. D., supdg. engr., class III, tempy. rank, reverted to exe. engr., 1st grade . . . 492
Brodrick, Mr. L. St. J., offg. asst. supdt. of police, Sarun:—Services of — placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam 331
Brookes, Capt. C. H., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept., 287; promtd. to exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept., 287; promtd. to exe. engr., 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.* 457
Brookes, Mr. O. H., to be extra asst. supdt., 1st class, Port Blair and Nicobars 489
Broome, Lt. R. D., 1st West India regt., apptd. a probnr. for Indian S.C., and placed at disp. of govt. of Bombay 286
Brotherston, Depy. Asst. Comsy. W., Madras estabt., to be hony. lt. 384
Brown, Mr. H. F., consul-genl. for Denmark at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office . . . 490
Brown, Hony. Capt. J., ord. dept., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 413
Brown, Lt. J. A., apptd. wg. offr., 4th Sikh infy., Punjab frontier force 465
Brown-Brunesson, Revd. J., B.A., apptd. a senr. chaplain on Bengal estabt. 490
Browne, Lt. A. G. F., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 443
Browne, Lt. H. R., from the Shropshire light infy.:—Admn. of — to B.S.C., as a lt. approved . . 443
Browne, Bde.-Surgn. J., M.D.:—Services of — replaced at disp. of mily. dept. 454
Browne, Col. J., R.E., C.B., C.S.I., supdg. engr., class II:—Services of — placed temply. at disp. of p. w. d. 443; services of — placed temply. at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 4
Browne, Lt. L. J., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Browning, Lt. A. R., to be wg. offr., 4th Punjab infantry 3
Browning, Lt. H. A., to offe. as wg. offr., on probn., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force . . 3
Brownlow, Lt. C. B., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 2
Brownlow, Maj.-Genl. *Sir* C. H., K.C.B., Bengal, placed on list of lt.-genls. 4
Bruce, Capt. A. C., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.* 4
Bruce, Lt. G. W. C., wg. offr., 4th Punjab infy., promtd. to adjt. 5
Bruce, Mr. R. I., C.I.E., reverted to poll. agent, 2nd class 3
Brydon, Capt. W., promtd. to maj., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 368; promn. of—to maj., approved 4
Buchanan, Maj.-Genl. J., Madras cavy., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 398; to be a lt.-genl. . 3
Buck, Mr. E. C., secy. to govt. of India in reve and agrl. dept., resumed charge of his apptt. 345; granted priv. leave 5
Buck, Col. L. W., Madras, placed on list of maj.-generals 4
Buckley, Hony. Capt. and Depy. Comsy. D., ord. dept., granted furlo. 491, ditto ditto . 5
Buckley, Mr. R. B., exe. engr., 1st grade, Bengal, apptd. to offe. as under-secy. to govt. of India in p. w. d. 492; correction in grade of— . . . 4
Buhmeyer, Mr. G.:—Apptt. of—as consul for Austria at Rangoon, recognised 4
Bulbhudder Naigee, subadar, 5th Goorkha regt., a.-d.-c. to viceroy, admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur" . . 4
Bull, Mr. C. A., exe. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, granted extn. of furlo. 3
Burke, Mr. J., promtd. to supdt., 2nd grade, Indian tel. dept. 3
Burlton-Bennet, Capt. J. B., promtd. to maj., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Burmadin, Resaidar, 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, promtd. to ressaldar 2
Burma: Territories administered by chief comr. of British—constituted a circle of issue for purposes of Indian Paper Currency Act, 1882, with town of Rangoon as a place having office of issue of currency notes, 318; comptr., British—, apptd. comr. of paper currency for Rangoon 318; certain offrs. in—empowered to order or authorise within limits of their respective executive jurisdictions the making of certain complaints 345; court of extra asst. comr. of 3rd class of Pyindaye established and local limits of its jurisdiction fixed . . 3
Burn, Lt. A. E. P., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 4
Burn, Lt. C. R., 8th (King's Royal Irish) Hussars, to be an extra a.-d.-c. on H. E. the viceroy's persnl. staff 4
Burn, Lt.-Col. (bt. Col.) J., B.S.C., permtd. to reside out of India 491; admtd. to col.'s allowance 4

Page

Burne, Lt. N. A. K., Loyal North Lancashire regt., wg. offr., 23rd N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 487
Burnett, Mr. J., promtd. to 2nd class apothy. . . 351
Burn-Murdoch, Lt. J., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, p. w. d., ry. branch, 344; services of—placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. . 391
Burr, Mr. E. B.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 461
Burrian Singh, Jemadar, 20th N. I., to be subadar . 368
Burrow, Mr. W. D., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424; name corrected to Barrow . . 435
Burton, Capt. (Bt. Maj.) F. C., B.S.C., squad. comdr., 1st Bengal cavy., offg. bde.-maj., to be a bde.-maj. on the estabt. 293
Bushell, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 280
Busher, Passed Hospl. Appce. W. D., promtd. to 2nd class asst. apothy. 351
Butcher, Lt. G. H., Bedfordshire regt., wg. offr., 42nd N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 472
Butcher, Mr. L. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to the Punjab 424
Butler, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 496
Butter, Lt.-Col. A. D., B.S.C., wg. comdr. and 2nd-in-comd., 12nd N. I., furlo. out of India . . 389
Buyers, Mr. J. W., exe. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, temply. promtd. to supdg. engr., class III . 353
Byrne, Mr. E. S., apptd. depy. comptr. genl. in class I of enrolled list of finl. dept. 285; was absent on priv. leave 293; assumed charge of duties of his apptt. as depy. comptr. genl. 320

C

CADELL, Mr. A., W. R., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., Bengal (L. P.) 453
Cadell, Lt.-Col. T., V.C., chief comr. of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and supdt. of Port Blair and Nicobars, granted subsdy. leave 471
Cafe, Maj.-Genl. W. M., V.C., Bengal infy., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 398
Cambridge:—Field-Marshal H. R. H., George William Frederick Charles, Duke of—K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., a.-d.-c., to be hony. col., 20th (Punjab) regt. of Bengal N. I. . . 462
Cameron, Capt. E. H., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 321
Campbell, Maj. A. D., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 403
Campbell, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) A. E., B.S.C., depy. comr., 2nd grade, offg. 1st grade, Assam, furlo. out of India 342; to be depy. comr., 1st grade . 189
Campbell, Lt.-Col. C. W., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 384
Campbell, Lt. F., South Lancashire regt., offg. wg. offr. (Queen's Own), corps of guides, Punjab frontier force, admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation. 465
Campbell, Mr. G. F.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 404
Campbell, Maj. J. E., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) . 302
Campbell, Mr. J. S., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh 453
Campbell, Capt. L. R. H. D., to be offg. wg. comdr., promtd. to maj., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 368; promn. of—to maj. approved . . . 472
Campbell, Maj.-Genl. N. G., R.A., inspr.-genl. of ord., tenure of apptt. extended, subject to approval of secy. of state 302
Campbell, Lt.-Col. R. B. P. P., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . 466
Campbell, Surgn. R. N., M.B., offg. depy. sanitary comr., 3rd circle, N.-W. P. and Oudh:—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam . . 355
Campbell, Lt.-Col. W., Bengal infy., to be maj.-comdt., Northern Bengal vol. rifle corps . . 423
Campbell, Mr W. A., acctt., 1st grade, mily. works dept., promtd. to hony. rank of asst. exmr. . . 492
Cardew, Mr. C. E., class III reve. scale, state ry., loco. dept., transfd. to estabt. under dir. genl. of rys. . 295
Carmont, Mr. W. H.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 371
Carnduff, Mr. H. W. C., apptd. to the B.C.S., Bengal, L. P. 453
Carnegy, Col. A., Bombay, placed on list of maj.-generals 457
Carr, Maj. F. S., to be 2nd squad. comdr., 5th Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force 367
Carr, Condr. T., ord. dept., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 506
Carter, Sub-Condr. J. J., comst dept., leave in India . 165
Carter, Mr. W. B., exe. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 493
Cather, Lt. T. P., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept. . . 287
Cemeteries:—Amended rules for care and use of certain govt.— 306
Central India:—2nd asst. to agent to govr. genl. for—being European British subject, to be a justice of peace, within limits of territories of princes and chiefs in relation with the—agency, 346; certain offrs. to be justices of the peace within territories of native chiefs included in the — agency . . 387
Chabrel, Mr. M. J., promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade 445
Chadburn, Mr. C. F., to be a lt., E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps 492
Chalmer, Maj. J., Bengal unattd. list.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 390; permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval . . 506
Chalmers, Col. S., Bengal infy., to be maj.-genl. . 506
Chambers, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) B. R., B.S.C., permtd to reside in Europe on certain terms 321; leave cancelled, and furlo. out of India granted to . 342
Channer, Lt.-Col. G. N., V.C., B.S.C., promtd. to bt col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Chapman, Lt.-Col. H., promtd. to bt. col. subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Chapman, Condr. J., sub-engr., 3rd grade, p. w. d., Punjab, furlo. out of India 457
Chappel, Mr. H. E., apptd. to tel. dept. in Ind' as asst. supdt., 4th grade 125
Charles, Bde.-Surgn. T. E., M.D., Indian medl. dept., retired list, to be hony. physician to the queen, with hony. rank of depy. surgn.-genl. . . . 321
Cherry, Lt.-Col. E. M., Madras cavy.:—Promn. of—to bt. col. approved 390
Chesney, Lt. K., West Riding regt., offg. squad. offr., 18th Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to

Page

Chippindall, Lt. W. H., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept. . . . 287
Chirnside, Mr. B., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to the C. P. 424
Cholmeley, Mr N. G., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., Burma 453
Chowne, Col. W. C., to continue to offe. as comdt., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force . . 293
Christie, Lt. J. H., West Yorkshire regt., offg. wg. offr., 21st N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 367
Chuckerbutty, Babu U., to offe. as chief supdt. in class III, finl. dept., and attd. to office of acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh 397
Civil Service of India:—Regns. respecting exmn. of candidates for—to be held in June 1884 . . 427
Claney, Mr. D. J., asst. engr., 3rd grade, Assam, promtd. to asst. engr., 2nd grade 391
Clark, Mr. C. C. S., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to N.-W. P. and Oudh 424
Clark, Mr. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 464
Clogstoun, Mr. H. F., M.C.S., resumed charge of his duties as acctt. genl., Madras, and comr. of paper currency for Madras 339
Clowes, Mr. T. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 425
Clubley, Lt.-Col. J. K., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Coal:—Resolution regarding Warora colliery and Wardah coal ry. 411
Coath, Mr. D. D.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 496
Coats, Lt. G. H. B., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 413
Cobb, Mr. W. H., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh 453
Coddington, Lt.-Col. F., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.), 327; promn. of —to lt.-col. approved 390
Codrington, Lt.-Col. E. C., to be comdt., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force 293
Cole, Lt.-Col. G. W., Madras infy., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 368
Cole, Lt.-Col. R. A., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Cole, Mr. W. H., promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade 445
Collen, Capt. E. H. H., B.S.C., promtd. to maj., subject to H. M.'s approval 286; promn. of—to maj. approved 423; to offe. as acctt. genl., mily. dept. . 487
Collet, Lt.-Col. H., C.B., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. colonel 466
Collet, Mr. J. F. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Bengal . . 458
Cologan, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) J. F. Fitz. G., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s. approval 390; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 491
Colomb, Lt. F.C., Scottish rifles, offg. wg. offr., 39th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . 472
Colonel's Allowances:—Arrangements with respect to the numbers of —to be allotted to certain classes . 366
Colvin, *Sir* A., K.C.M.G., B.C.S., apptd. an ordy. member of council of gov. genl. and assumed charge of his office 406; to be a C.I.E. 406
Colvin, Lt. J. R. C., offg. squad. offr., 9th Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . 487
Comber, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) A. K., B.S.C., permtd. to

Page

Comber, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. J., Bengal estabt., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement 321
Commands:—Mily. letter regarding apptt. of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, K. G., to the comd. of a divn. in the Bengal presdy. 389
Conder, Mr. J., class II, state ry., reve. estabt., traffic dept., apptd. offg. manager, Nagpur-Chhattisgarh and Wardah coal state ry. 444
Cones, Surgn. G. A., granted furlo. (m. c.). . . 407
Connaught:—Maj.-Genl., H. R. H. Arthur William Patrick Albert, Duke of—Strathearn, K. G., &c., to be a Maj.-genl., on staff of army in India to comd. a divn. in the Bengal presdy. . . . 390
Connaught:—Maj.-Genl. H. R. H., Arthur William Patrick Albert, Duke of—and Strathearn, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., C.B., a.-d.-c., to be hony. col., 7th Bengal N. I., 403; to be hony. col., 29th Bombay N. I. (2nd Beluch regt.) 403; programme for arrival in Calcutta of— 467
Conolly, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) A., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. 372
Constable, Mr. M.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 280
Conway-Gordon, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) C. V., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 487
Conway-Gordon, Maj. L., R.E., depy. acctt. genl. and *ex-officio* under-secy. to govt. of India, p. w. d.:—Services of - replaced at disp. of p. w. d. 402; placed on spl. duty under dir. genl. of rys. 425; relieved of spl. duty 437
Coode, Mr. M. P., asst. engr., 1st grade, Hyderabad, temply. promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, p. w. d. . 435
Cook, Lt. W., wg. offr., 3rd Sikh infy., Punjab frontier force, promtd. to qr. mr. 506
Cooke, Mr. J. E., to be depy. acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh, but to offe. temply. as depy. acctt. genl., Bengal, 285; period during which—offtd. as above, and was in charge of office of acctt. genl., Bengal 497
Cookson, Mr. H. C., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh 453
Cooper, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 279
Cooper, Mr. W., promtd. to 2nd class apothy. . . 351
Copeland, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. J., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement . . . 424
Coppin, Mr. R. F., asst. engr., 1st grade, p. w. d.:—Services of—transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Madras, ry. branch 391
Corbyn, Maj. E. C., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 327
Cordell, Mr. C., 1st apothy., medl. dept., promtd. to grade of senr. apothy. 435
Cordery, J. G., Esq., C. S., resdt. at Hyderabad, to be hony. col., Behar voltr. rifle corps . . . 286
Corfield, Lt. C. J., King's Own Borderers, wg. offr., 2nd N. I., admtd to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 384
Cornish, Lt. W. H., West Riding regt., offg. wg. offr., Meywar Bheel corps, admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 342
Cornwell, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 496
Corrigan, Mr. S. A. L., asst. engr., 1st grade, British Burma, permtd. to resign his apptt. in p. w. d. . 493
Cotton, Lt. A. F., B.S.C., promtd. to capt., subject to H. M.'s approval 398; promn. of—to capt.

Page

Couper, Lt. E. E., Royal Warwickshire regt., offg. wg. offr., 1st Goorkha regt., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmati n 320
Court-fees :—Fees on certain documents remitted . 439
Cowan, Maj. S. H., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 460
Cowley, Lt. J. W., from South Yorkshire regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt. approved . . . 443
Cowper, Mr. G., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Madras for employment on Vizagapatam-Raipur ry. survs. 425
Cowper, Maj. H. H. P., genl. list, cavy., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 368
Cox, Mr. A. F., M.C.S., apptd. asst. comptr. genl. in class III of the enrolled list of the finl. dept., but will continue to offe. as asst. acctt. genl., Bombay, 285; recd. charge of office of depy. acctt. genl., Bombay 464
Cox, Lt. G. W., Madras infy., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 457
Cracroft, Lt.-Col. B., B.S.C., squad. comdr. and 2nd-in-comd., 3rd Bengal cavy., granted furlo. (p. a.) . 293
Cracroft, Lt. B. W., B.S.C., wg. offr., 11th N. I., to be a sub-asst. comsy. genl., 2nd class, on probn., 293; admn. of—to B.S.C. as lt., approved . . 351
Craven, Lt. J., to be capt., E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps 443
Crawford, Mr. F. C., to offe. as asst. supdt. of police, Hyderabad assigned dists. 365
Crawford, Mr. J. A., Bo.C.S., apptd. to be a poll. asst. of 3rd class, and posted as an attaché in the foreign dept., subject to sanction of H. M.'s secy. of state for India; also to offe. as a poll. asst., 1st class 454
Crawley, Mr. C. E., apptd. to offe. as depy. comptr. genl. in class II of enrolled list of finl. dept. . 327
Croft, Mr. A. W., M.A., dir. of public instn., Bengal, on spl. duty with the education commn., granted priv. leave 331
Crookshank, Lt.-Col. A. C. W., B.S.C., to offe. as depy. secy. to govt. of India in mily. dept. . . 487
Crosier, Corpl. L., to be lt., E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps 473
Crossley, Mr. L. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 496
Crot, Mr. H.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 371
Croudace, Mr. C. H., exe. engr., 2nd grade, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Bengal for employment in ry. branch 409
Cubitt, Lt.-Col. W. G., V.C., B.S.C., to be bt. col., Bengal army, subject to H. M.'s approval 321; promtd. to col. 435
Cumberlege, Maj. H. O., genl. list, infy., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 423
Cunliffe, Lt.-Col. and Bt. Col. R. H., M.S.C.:—Retirement of—approved 373; granted hony. rank of maj.-genl. on retirement 373
Curry, Mr. W. E., posted temply. on probn. to accts. branch of p. w. d., with rank of asst. exmr., 1st grade, and attd. to office of exmr., p. w. accts., Madras 368

D

DALE, Color-Sergt. H., to be lt., E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps 473
Dalmahoy, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) P. C., infy., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 460
Daly, Lt. H., to offe. as squad. offr., 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, 440; apptd. on probn to B.S.C., and posted to a corps under govt. of India 457
Dane, Surgn. A. H. C., M.D., apptd. to offe. as medl. offr. of Bhopal battn. and of Bhopal poll. agency 396
Dangerfield, Mr. H., to offe. as manager of Rajputana-Malwa ry. and to hold tempy. rank in class I, grade 2, reve. scale, while so offg. . . . 368
Daniell, Lt. A., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 413
D'Aragon, Mr. J. P.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 464
Darling, Mr. W. C., promtd. to offg. supdt., 2nd grade, Indian tel. dept., 391; promtd. to supdt., 2nd grade 488
Darrah, Lt. M. Z., offg. wg. offr., 18 N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 491
Davee Singh, Havildar, Meywar Bheel Corps, promtd. to jemadar 356
Davidson, Lt. A. G., Wiltshire regt., to be offg. wing offr. on probn., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force, 362; to be offg. squad. offr., 5th Punjab cavy., on probn. 372
Davidson, Lt. C., North Lancashire regt., a candidate for B.S.C., to be offg. wing offr. on probn., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force . . 407
Davidson, Mr. J. Y., class II, state ry. reve. estabt., manager, Nagpur-Chhattisgarh and Wardah coal rys., granted furlo. 444
Davies, Mr. C. M., class II, reve. scale state ry. loco. dept., placed permtly. at disp. of chief comr., C. P. 295
Davies, Lt. H. S. P., Cheshire regt., admn. to B.S.C. as lt. approved 321
Davis, Mr. D. L.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 401
Davis, Maj. R. P., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 368; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 472; permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval 488
Davis, Sergt. and Offg. Sub-Condr. T., comst. dept., promtd. to sub-condr. 390
Deane, Maj. T., B.S.C., to offe. as 1st asst. secy. to govt. of India in mily. dept. 487
Deane, Surgn. W.:—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 355; services of—replaced at disp., mily. dept. 153
Deaths:—Report of—recd. in mily. dept., 294, 322, 343, 385, 404, 314, 466
DeBrett, Lt.-Col. H., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Debt:—Proceedings at fourth meeting of commns. for reduction of—held at office of comptr. genl. on 12th July 1883 357
DeCruze, Mr. L., to be 2nd class apothy. 473
Deedes, Revd. B., M.A., apptd. domestic chaplain of right revd. the Lord bishop of Calcutta . . 439
deFerranti, Mr. S. L.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 371
Defries, Mr. H.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 326
deGuigné, Mr. A.:—Apptt. of—as consular agent for France at Madras recognised 326

Page

deKantzow, Lt.-Col. C. A., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 385; promtd. to colonel 502
Delamain, Lt. F. G., B.S.C., squad. offr., 11th (Prince of Wales' Own) Bengal lancers, furlo. out of India 487
Denne, Mr. R. T., promtd. to asst. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.* 415
deRenzy, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. A. C. C., C.B., Bengal army, to have hony. rank of surgn.-genl. on retirement 342
Desvœux, Lt. C. H., B.S.C., wg. offr., 4th N. I., granted an extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 491
Dewah Singh, Havildar, 5th N. I., to be jemadar . 322
Dhurm Singh, Subadar, 25th N. I., to be subadar major 322
Dibblee, Mr. F. L., exe. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Madras for employment as engr.-in-chief of Nellore-Tirupati ry. surv. 425
Dicken, Lt.-Col. W. P., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Dickie, Lt. J. E., R.E., promtd. to asst. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept. 287
Dickson, Surgn.-Maj. L. F., M.D., Bengal army, to have hony. rank of bde.-surgn. on retirement . 342
Dickson, Mr. W., to be 2nd class asst. apothy. . . 473
Digby, Lt. T., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . 487
D'Lacy, 1st Class Asst. Apothy. H., to be 2nd class apothecary 390
Dobbie, Mr. W. H., assumed charge of duties of offg. depy. acctt. genl., Punjab 434
Dobson, Surgn. A. F., M.B., to offe. as resdy. surgn., Bangalore, 378; apptd. to be resdy. surgn. at Bangalore, sub. *pro tem.* 483
Dobson, Surgn. E. F. H.:—Services of—temply. placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam 406
Dodd, Maj. C. A., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 403
Dodge, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. C., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement 424
Donald, Mr. W., resumed charge of his apptt. as depy. acctt. genl., Madras 339
Doran, Col. J., C.B., B.S.C., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 472
Dost Mohammad Khan, Havildar, 9th N. I., promtd to jemadar 398
Douglas, Mr. E. R., C.I.E., placed on spl. duty under dir. genl. of post office of India 327; made over charge of his duties as depy. dir. genl. of post office of India 366
Douglas, Lt.-Col. H., McD. DeW., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 368; promtd. to col. 473
Douglas, Mr. R., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to the Punjab 424
Dowker, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) H. C., M.S.C.:—Good service pension conferred upon— 328
Downing, Mr. W. S., staff offr., Bombay dockyard:—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of Bombay . 313
Dressner Lt. C. J. B. H., B.S.C., squad. offr. and offg. squad. comdr., 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, to offe. as cantt. magte. of Nowgong 297
Drew, Mr. W., asst. engr., 2nd grade:—Services of—placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 444
Drigpal Singh, Havildar, Bengal sappers and miners.

Page

Dry, Mr. J. R.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— . 440
D'Santos, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 370
Dubern, Mr. G.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 400
Duff, Lt. B., B.S.C., wg. offr. and adjt., 9th N. I., furlo. out of India (p. a.) 407
Duffin, Mr. C., promtd. to offe. as supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept., 353; promtd. to supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept. 488
Duffy, Mr. D., promtd. to 1st class apothy., subject to passing certain exmn. 322
Duke, Surgn.-Maj. O. T., M.B., Indian medl. service, apptd. to offe. as a poll. agent, 3rd class, and posted for spl. duty under orders of govr. genl.'s agent in Biluchistan 454
Duncan, Mr. J., recognised as in charge of the Netherlands consulate at Rangoon, subject to confirmation 454
Dundas, Surgn. G. A.:—Services of—replaced at disp. of mily. dept. 453
Dundas, Lt. G. W. M., B.S.C., wg. offr. and qr. mr., 4th Goorkha regt., furlo. out of India . . . 465
Dunlop-Smith, Lt. J. R., from Cheshire regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt., approved . . 443
Dunsford, Lt W. G., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 443
Duperier, Capt. H. W., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept. . . 287
Durand, Maj. C. J., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 343; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 472
Durand, Mr. H. M., C.S.I., C. S., apptd. to offe. as secy. to govt. of India in foreign dept. . . . 490
Durant, Surgn.-Maj. J. J., Bengal army:—Retirement of—approved 342
Durham, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. W., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement . . . 407
Duthy, Mr. J. W. B., apptd. to offe. as supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept. 435
Dwyer, Store Surgn. J. F., to be sub-condr., on probation 502

E

Eales, Lt. C. M., to be offg. wg. offr., 5th Punjab infy., on probn. 372
Eardley-Wilmot, Lt. I., from the Border regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt. approved . . . 443
East, Col. C. J., apptd. to bde. staff of the army, with rank of brigdr.-genl. 342
Eaton, Mr. J. N. A., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 425; services of—placed at disp. of dir.-genl. of rys. 458
Edison, Mr. T. A.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by —280, 440. 464
Edwards, Lt. A. T. F., Royal Irish regt., placed at disp. of govt. of Bombay in view to apptt. to S.C. of that presdy. 302
Edwards, Lt. C. G. F., from Dorsetshire regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as lt. approved 351; to be squad. offr., 5th Punjab cavy. 472
Edwards, 2nd Class Asst. Apothy. G., permtd. to resign the service 398
Edwards, Lt. J. B., apptd. squad. offr., 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, 365; bde. order apptg.—to offe. as

Page

371; to continue to offe. as squad. comdr. of 2nd regt., C. I. Horse 433
Egan, Mr. M.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 496
Egells, Mr. H.:—Specfn. of inventions filed by—371, 401
Egerton, Lt. R. G., Leicestershire regt., wg. offr., (Queen's Own) corps of guides, admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 327
Eicke, Mr. F. W., transfd. to office of exmr. p. w. accts., N.-W. P. and Oudh 398
Elderton, Lt. A., Wiltshire regt., wg offr., 7th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . . 471
Elias, Mr. N., reverted to poll. asst., 1st class, 378; to offe. as poll. agent, 3rd class 396
Elliot, Col. C. S., Madras, placed on list of maj.-generals 457
Ellison, Revd. W., M.A., jr. chaplain, Bengal (Lahore) estabt., reptd. his arrival at Kurrachee . 297
Elphinstone, W. B. F., Baron:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 496
Emerson, Surgn. G. A., furlo. out of India . . 384
Emmott, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 496
Engert, Mr. A. C.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 280
English, Mr. R. A., promtd. to depy. exmr., 2nd grade, superior accts. estabt., p. w. d., 314; transfd. to office of exmr. of accts., mily. works branch, p. w. d. 398
Estates:—Statement of deposits on account of—322, 343, 363, 385, 461, 466
Eteson, Bde.-Surgn. A., M.D., to be a depy. surgn.-general. 502
Ether:—Certain methylated—exempted from import duty 434
Euan-Smith, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) C. B., C.S.I., poll. agent, 3rd class, posted as poll. agent, Bikanir . 388
Evans, Lt.-Col. L. E., Bengal infy.:—Promn. of—to bt. col. approved 390
Evanson, Lt.-Col. R. C., M.S.C.:—Retirement of—approved 473; to have hony. rank of col. on retirement 473
Evatt, Lt. J. T., Dorsetshire regt., a candidate for B.S.C., to offe. as w. g. offr. on probn., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force 327
Ewan, Mr. H. R. W., promtd. to 2nd class asst. apothecary 351
Ewing, Lt.-Col. J., M.S.C., depy. qr. mr genl., Madras, confirmed in apptt. of supdt. of reserve depôt, Hosúr 402
Examination:—Regns. respecting — of candidates for civil service of India to be held in June 1884, 427; Notfn. regarding—prescribed for filling up of vacancies in clerical estabts. of sect. offices of govt. of India and depts. directly attd. thereto 468
Explosives:—Prohibition to import certain dynamite, &c., into British India 285
Eyre, Capt. G. S., B.S.C., asst. comr., 4th grade, offg. 3rd grade, British Burma, granted furlo. out of India 350

F

FAGAN, Lt. H. H. F., Hampshire regt., offg. squad. offr., 15th B. C., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to

Page

Fairways:—Rules for — leading to ports of False Point, Balasore, and Chittagong 362; rule prohibiting placing of fishing stakes in fairway leading to port of Bombay 397
Fairweather Bde.-Surgn. J., M.D., to offe. as sanitary comr. of Punjab 325
Fanshawe, Mr. H. A. W., promtd. to supdt., 4th grade, tel. dept. 353
Farquhar, Mr. J. F. C.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 401
Farquharson, Maj. C. J., of half-pay list, B. S. C.:—Retirement of—approved 342; to have hony. rank of lt.-col. 342
Fasken, Lt. C. G. M., B.S.C., wg. offr. and adjt., 2nd Sikh infy., furlo. out of India 442
Fasken, Lt. E. J. N., wg. offr. and qr. mr., 3rd Sikh infy., Punjab frontier force, promtd. to adjt. . 506
Fasson, Mr. W. C., asst. supdt. of police, Wokha, Naga Hills dist.:—Services of—replaced at disp. of govt. of Bengal 365
Fennel, Mr. G., promtd. to be an asst. engr., 1st class, Indian marine 351
Fenton, Mr. M. W., apptd. a member of B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh 453
Ferrars, Mr. H. M., B.A., to offe. in 1st grade of depy. conservs. of forests 471
Ferris, Surgn. J. E. C., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 378
Field, the *Hon'ble* C. D., a judge of the high court of judicature at Fort William in Bengal:—Date when — resumed his seat on the bench of the high court 439; granted subsdy. leave . . . 469
Field, Lt. W. C. F., asst. mily. acctt., on probn., confirmed in his apptt. 384
Financial dept.:—Addendum and corrigendum to codes of — 285, 346, 366, 389, 400, 423, 434, 442, 455, 471 483
Financial statement:—resolution regarding altn. in form of accts. and estimates which accompany annual &c. 308
Findlay, Mr. C. F.:—Specfn. of invention filed by—. 289
Finlay, Mr. J. F., M.A., B.C.S., to offe. as depy. acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh, 285; assumed charge of his apptt. as above 301; to offe. as under-secy. to govt. of India in dept. of finance and commerce 318; recd. charge of office as above 357
Finnis, Maj. J., offg. 2nd-in-comd., 2nd Punjab infy., to be wg. comdr., 5th Punjab infy., 286; to continue to offe. as 2nd-in-comd., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force 293
Finnis, Maj. J., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Fischer, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 401
Fitz Gerald, Mr. D. G.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 280
FitzGerald, Mr. J. R., apptd. to hold charge of current duties of office of agent to govr. genl. in Beluchistan 459
Fitz-Hugh, Lt.-Col. A., C.B., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Fleming, Hony. Lt. and Asst. Comsy. E. J., Hyderabad contgt., furlo. out of India 312
Fleming, Mr. J. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 289
Flindell, Mr. R. B., promtd. to supdt., 1st grade, Indian tel. dept. 353

Page

Floyd, Mr. W. C. L., apptd. offg. depy. consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys., Calcutta . 425
Forbes, Mr. G. F. G., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh . . . 453
Ford, Depy. Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. J., Madras estabt., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement 443
Fordham, Mr. J. W., to offe. as exmr. of accts., Rajputana-Malwa state. ry. with rank of exmr., 3rd class, 444; reverted to exmr., 4th class, 2nd grade 445
Foreign Dept.:—Erratum in notfn. No. 1363 G. of 9th May 1883 285
Forrest, Capt. R. H., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m.c.) 373
Forrester, Passed Hospl. Appce. W., to be 2nd class asst. apothy. 390
Frame, Mr. J.:—Apptt. of—as vice-consul for Denmark at Bassein recognised, subject to confirmation 289; apptt. of—as consul for Germany at Bassein recognised 331; apptt. of—as consul for Austria at Bassein recognised, with sanction of H. M.'s govt. 388; recognition of apptt. of—as vice-consul for Denmark at Bassein confirmed 401
Fraser, Lt.-Col. H., Madras cavy., promtd. to lt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 487
Fraser, Mr. J., to be 2nd class asst. apothy. . . 473
French, Maj. H., Bo.S.C.:—Retirement of approved 403; granted hony. rank of lt.-col. on retirement 403
Fry, Mr. G.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . . 401
Fund:—Notfns. and applications on part of subscribers to, or beneficiaries under, provident branch of Bombay Civil—in India, to whom to be given and made 339
Furrer, Mr. H.:—Apptt. of—as actg. vice-consul for Austria and Hungary at Aden recognised, subject. to confirmation 307; above confirmed . . 418

G

Gafl, Mr. C. E., exe. engr., 2nd grade, C. I., temply. transfd. to Madras for employment on ry. surveys 329
Gahan, Mr. H. H., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, ry. branch:—Services of—placed at disp. of foreign department 493
Gaisford, Surgn. M.:—Services of—temply. placed at disp. of govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh . . . 279
Gallian, Mr. J., consul-genl. for Italy at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office 454
Galloway, Lt.-Col. J., C.B., Bo.S.C., promtd. to col. . 397
Gardiner, Capt. R., R.E., to offe. as manager and engr.-in-chief of Bhavnagar-Gondal ry., and to hold tempy. rank of class I, grade 3, reve. scale, while so offg. 368
Gardiner, Lt. W. J., to be a capt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps 313
Garrett, Lt. R. V., B.S.C., wg. offr. and adjt., 4th infy., Hyderabad congt., furlo. out of India . 402
Garstin, Lt. G. L., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to capt. approved 390
Gaulard, Mr. L.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 464
Gelder, Mr. P. V.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— 464
Gholam Mahomed Khan, Ressaidar and Woordie-

P.

Gholam Mustapha Khan, Ressaidar, 1st Bengal cavy., promtd. to woordie-maj. . . . . .
Ghose, Babu Prankissen, to offe. as chief supdt., finl. dept., and attd. to office of comptr. of Indian treasuries, and recd. charge of the duties of his appointment . . . . . .
Ghulam Mahomed, Havildar, to be jemadar, 6th Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force . . .
Gibbons, Mr. J. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by—
Gibbs, The *Hon'ble* J., C.S.I., C.I.E., an ordy. member of the council of the govr. genl. of India, retnd. from leave of absence and resumed his seat . . . . . .
Gibbs, Mr. J. D.:—Specfn. of invention filed by—
Gilbert, Mr. W. R., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, reverted to substantive rank of asst. engr., 1st grade, 391; promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank. . . . . .
Giles, Lt. W., Suffolk regt., wg. offr., 21st N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . .
Gill, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. T., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement . . . . .
Gillespie, Lt.-Col. and Bt. Col. W. A., Bo.S.C.:—Retirement of—approved 342; to have hony. rank of maj.-genl. . . . . .
Gimlette, Surgn. G. H. D., M.D., Indian medl. service, apptd. resdt. surgn. at Katmandhu . . .
Girdlestone, Mr. C. E. R., C.S., resdt. in Nipal, granted priv. leave . . . . . .
Glascock, Maj. T. B. M., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 363; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved . . . . . .
Glennie, Capt. E., R.E., promtd. permtly. to exe. engr., 4th grade, mily. works dept., 287; granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . . . . . .
Godby, Col. C. J., B.S.C.:—Retirement and promn. of—antedated . . . . . .
Godfrey, Mr. G., B.C.S.:—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam . . . .
Godwin-Austin, Mr H., offg extra asst. supdt., 1st class, Port Blair and Nicobars, obtained leave on medl. certi. . . . . .
Goldney, Capt. F. C. N., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) . . . . . .
Goodfellow, Mr. A. T., promtd. to depy. exmr., 1st grade, superior accts. estabt. (permt.), p. w. d., 344; posted to office of exmr. of guaranteed ry. accts., Calcutta . . . . . .
Gordon, Mr. D. C., reverted to exmr., 3rd class, superior accts. estabt., p. w. d. . . . . .
Gordon, Mr. E. F., asst. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, passed deptl. standard exmn. in Hindustani . .
Gordon, Lt. G. H. B., R.E., promtd. to asst. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept. . .
Gordon, Lt. W. D., wg. offr., to continue to offe. as qr. mr., 3rd Sikh infy., Punjab frontier force .
Gordon, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) W. R., B.S.C., admtd. to col.'s allwce. . . . . .
Gourisankar Agnhotre, Jemadar, 16th N. I.:—promtd. to subadar . . . . . .
Governor Genl.:—Notice of date of departure of H. E. the viceroy and — from Simla and arrival at Calcutta, 393, 400; H. E. the viceroy and — will hold a levée at govt. house, Calcutta, 399; notice of drawing-room to be held by their excellencies

Page

house, Calcutta, 399; programme of H. E. the viceroy and —'s arrival in Calcutta, 405; H. E. the viceroy and — will open Calcutta international exhibition 468; apptt. of time and place for a meeting of — s' legis. council 468

Grace, Lt.-Col. C. H., apptd. depy. comr., 1st class, C. P. 418

Graham, Mr. J. A.:— Specfn. of invention filed by— 371, 496

Grant, Mr. C., C.S.I., C.S., secy. to govt. of India in foreign dept., granted priv. leave 460

Grant, Lt. F. C., South Wales borderers, apptd. on probn. to B.S.C., and posted to corps under govt. of India 286

Grant, Maj. F. W.:—Promn. to lt.-col., B.S.C., approved 294

Grant, Lt.-Col. G. C., Bo.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 403

Grant, Mr. H. E., Central India, promtd. to asst. engr., 2nd grade 368

Grant, Depy. Asst. Comsy. J., Bengal estabt., to have hony rank of lt. 350

Grant, Capt. S., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.* 157

Grassby, 1st Class Apothy. W. B., to be senr. apothy. 473

Graves, Capt. H. A., to be maj., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 321; promn. of—to maj. approved 423

Gray, Revd. A. D., M.A., of United Presbyterian (Scottish) mission, licensed to grant certis. of marriage between Native Christians in native states comprised in Rajputana agency 396

Gray, Mr. G., asst. exmr., 2nd grade, Bengal, p. w. d., permtd. to resign his apptt. 344

Gray, Capt. M. A., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . 465

Gray, Mr. W. B., promtd. sub. *pro tem.* to depy. exmr., 1st grade (supy.), superior accts. estabt., p. w. d., 344; reverted to depy. exmr., 2nd grade (supernumerary) 415

Gray, Lt. W. du G., wg. offr., 4th Punjab infy., promtd. to qr. mr. 566

Greany, Surgn. H., M.D., Indian medl. service, Madras, to be offg. medl. offr., 4th infy., Hyderabad contgt., 342; to be medl. offr., 4th infy., Hyderabad contgt. 502

Greaves, Sergt. (Offg. Barrack Mr.) W., reverts to rank of barrack sergt. 473

Green, Mr. H. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 425

Greenig, Revd. G. H., apptd. a marriage registrar in respect of all places within territories of Mysore, and licensed to grant certis. of marriage between Native Christians within said territories . . 460

Greig, Mr. G., offg. as consvr. of forests, 1st grade, confirmed in that apptt. 307

Gregory, Mr. S. M., to be a capt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps 434

Griffiths, Surgn. H. T., Bengal army.:—Resgn. of—approved 403

Groves, Mr. H. S., B.A., resumed charge of his apptt. as asst. acctt. genl., Madras 339

Gucht, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) T. E. V., B.S.C.:—Retirement of—approved 403; granted hony. rank of maj.-genl. on retirement 403

Gujbeer Rana, Color-Havildar, 1st Goorkha regt.,

Page

Gulcher, Mr. R. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 325

Gulcher, Electric Light and Power Company, limited:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . . . 464

H

Haddon, Mr. H. E., promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade, 115; transfd. to estabt. under dir.-genl. of rys. 45

Hailes, Capt. W., promtd. to maj., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 42

Hajee Shah, Havildar, to be jemadar, 12th N. I. . 42

Hak Nawaz Khan, native asst. to agent to govr. genl. in Biluchistan, at Harnai:—Period during which—was on leave on m. c. 172; nottn. granting—priv. leave cancelled 47

Hackett, Capt. W. G. C., B.S.C., wg. comdr., 30th N. I., furlo. out of India 43

Hall, Lt. H. S. G., B.S.C., wg. offr., 25th N. I., to be a sub-asst. comsy.-genl., 2nd class, on probn. . 48

Halliday, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. J., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement 42

Hamid Bey.—Apptt. of—as consul-genl. for Turkey at Bombay, recognised 43

Hamilton, Lt. A., King's Own borderers, offg. wg. offr., 25th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 38

Hamilton, Mr. J. B.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 37

Hammond, Lt.-Col. F., to be comdt., 5th Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force 36

Hanna, Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. H. B., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 32

Hannay, Mr. J. B.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 28

Hare, Mr. R. D., to offc. as asst. comr., 1st class, Berar commn., 326, promtd. to asst. comr., 2nd class, Berar commn. 36

Hare, Mr. W. H. M., promtd. to offc. as supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept. 39

Harrington, Transport Sergt. J., const. dept., to be sub-condr. 48

Harris, Lt. C. G., Royal Irish rifles, offg. wg. offr., Bhopal battn., on probn., granted leave in India (m.c.) 372, services of—replaced at disp. of mily. department 37

Harris, Lt. F. A., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 46

Harris, Mr. G. S. T., exe. engr., 4th grade, British Burma:—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of India in foreign dept. 49

Harris, Capt. W. O., B.S.C., wg. offr., 2nd N. I., granted furlo. out of India (p. a.) 49

Harrison, Mr. H. B., 1st grade clerk, Persian Gulf sec., Indo-European tel. dept., to offc. as asst. supdt. 36

Harrison, Mr. J. F.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 49

Harrison, Lt. J. H. C., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. (m.c.) 36

Hartnoll, Mr. H. S., apptd. a member of the I.C.S., Burma 15

Hartshorne, Maj. A. G., genl. list, infy., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 52

Harvey, Mr. W., to offc. as depy. manager, Rajputana-Malwa ry., and to offc. in class II. rve.

Page

Kazi Sayyid Ahmad, "Khan Bahadur," attaché in foreign dept., granted priv. leave 440
Keen, Lt.-Col. F. J., C.B., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject. to H. M.'s approval . . . 466
Kellie, Surgn. G. J., to be medl. offr., 4th cavy., Hyderabad contgt., but to continue to offe. as medl. offr., 3rd cavy. 502
Kellner, Mr. E. W., to offe. as acott. genl., Bengal, 318; recd. charge of office as above 357; recd. charge of office of depy. comptr. genl. . . 406
Kelly, Capt. J. G., B.S.C., promtd. to maj., subject to H. M.'s approval 385; promn. of—to maj. approved 491
Kemble, Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. H. C., Bengal cavy.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 390
Kemp, Mr. D. S.—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 279
Kennedy, Mr. J., B.C.S.:—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam 468
Kenney-Herbert, Maj. A. R., Madras cavy.:—Promn. of—to bt. lt.-col. approved 363
Kerr, Lt. M. A., Leicestershire regt., wg. offr., 1st Goorkha regt., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 367
Kesur Singh, Jemadar, 5th Punjab cavy., promtd. to ressaidar 506
Key, Coudr. J., ord. dept., granted extn. of furlo. . 293
Khazana, Havildar, to be jemadar, 6th Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force 435
Kheyma, Havildar, 25th N. I., to be jemadar . . 322
Kiddell, Mr. H. B., to be a capt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps 434
Kilkelly, Bde.-Surgn. C., M.B., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 443
Killick, Mr. C. S., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys., 424; services of—placed at disp. of govt. of Madras 444
Kinmond, Mr. J. C.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— 440
King, Mr. F.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— . 280
King, Bde.-Surgn. H., Madras army:—Retirement of—approved 403
King, Mr. J. E., to be sub-lt., Calcutta naval arty. voltr. corps 391
Kirton, Surgn.-Maj. W. H., medl. store-keeper, Mean Meer, furlo. out of India 362
Kisch, Mr. H. M., to offe. as under-secy. to govt. of India in reve. and agril. dept. 505
Kishan Lall, Kamavisdar of pargana Manpur, in C. I., invested with powers of a magte. of 2nd class 406
Knight, Voltr. A. O., to be a lt., Seebpore college voltr. rifle corps 384
Knowles, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) F., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 363; granted furlo. out of India 472; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 472
Kowda Sing, Havildar, 24th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 286
Kraemer, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 401
Kulloo, Havildar, 38th N. I., promtd. to jemadar . 466
Kurrum Shah, Jemadar, to be subadar, 12th N. I. . 424
Kux, Mr. W. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 371

L

Labdha Rama Sahni, Mr., promtd. to asst. engr., 2nd grade, ry. branch, p. w. d. 323

Page

Lacy, Lt. G. H., deL., Leicestershire regt., wg. offr., 45th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 367
Lalla Mool Chand, apptd. pay mr. of Rajputana-Malwa state ry. in class IV. of superior reve. estabt., p. w. d. 323
Lallbahadoor Doobay, Jemadar, 11th N. I., promtd. to subadar 301
Lamb, Mr. G. F., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, p. w. d., ry. branch 344
Lamb, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) T., B.S.C., depy. comr., 2nd grade, offg. 1st grade, Assam, furlo. out of India 402
Lambert, Lt.-Col. P., R.E., reverted to exmr., 2nd class, tempy. rank, superior accts. estabt., p. w. d. 445
Lambert, Capt. S. J., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 3rd grade, permtly. 287
Lane, Mr. J. M., promtd. to offe. as supdt., 1st grade, Indian tel. dept., 391; promtd. to supdt., 1st grade 485
Lang, Maj. R. T. M., genl. list, cavy., depy. comr., 1st class, Punjab, furlo. out of India . . . 350
Langford, Revd. R. J., M.A., chaplain of Kamptee:—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 471
LaTouche, Maj. E. N. D., genl. list, infy., granted extn. of furlo. 434
LaTouche, Mr. H. C. D., supdg. engr. class III, sub. *pro tem.*, apptd. engr.-in-chief of the Jhansi-Manikpore state ry. 386
LaTouche, Mr. J. N. D., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. temply. to state rys., and his services placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. . . . 461
Law, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 371
Lawder, Mr. J. O., exe. engr., 3rd grade, permtd. to resign his apptt. in p. w. d. 364
Lawrence, 1st Class Apothy. C. St. J., sub-medl. dept., Madras, to have hony. rank of surgn. . 321
Lawrence, Mr. W. R., reverted to offg poll. asst., 3rd class 375
Leask, Mr. A. R.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 326
LeBreton, Capt. W. I., B.S.C., apptd. to offe. as exmr., p. w. accts., Bombay 386
Ledger, Mr. J. C., transfd. to estabt. under dir. genl. of rys., p. w. d., 287; placed in charge of those portions of offices of secy. to govt. of India, p. w. d., and acott. genl., p. w. d., which will remain at Simla 445; to have charge of office of depy. exmr., state ry. stores 455
Lee, Condr. T., comst. dept., to be depy. asst. comsy. 485
Lee-Warner, Mr. W., M.A., C.S.:—Services of—replaced at disp. of govt. of Bombay . . . 370
Legate, Mr. W., asst. engr., 1st class, Indian marine:—Services of—dispensed with . . . 401
Legislative Dept.:—Corrigendum in first line of para. 5 of certain letter on C. P. Code Amendment Bill 400
Lenthardt, Mr. P.—Recognition of apptt. of—as actg. consul for the Netherlands at Karachi, confirmed 375
Leonard, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. G., Bengal estabt., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement . 321
Lesmond, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. L., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement 424
Lesmond, Mr. W. A., exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Mad-

Page

ras, for employment on Nellore-Tirupatis ry. surv. 444; promtd. permtly. to exe. engr., 3rd grade 445
L'Estrange, Mr. F. W. A., to be 2nd class asst. apothecary 351
Lewis, Mr. R. J., to be 2nd class asst. apothy. . 351
Light, Mr. L. A., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424; services of—placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 444
Lightening, Sub-Condr. C., comst. dept., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 423
Lighthouses:—Despatch from secy. of state for India and order in council regarding dues payable in respect of Great Basses, Little Basses and Minicoy 318
Lindiboom, Sub-Condr. J., comst. dept., to be condr. . 488
Lindsell, Lt. P. B., B.S.C., squad. offr., 15th Bengal cavy., granted furlo. (p. a.) 367
Little, Lt.-Col. H. A., B.S.C., promtd. to col. . . 397
Little, Maj. J. A., exe. engr., to act as supdt., way and works, Indus valley state ry., p. w. d. . . 323
Little, Lt. W. R., Connaught rangers, wg. offr., 21st N. I., admtd to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . 367
Livermore, Mr. H. A., to be a 4th grade offr. in H. M.'s Indian marine, and seconded for employment in Marine surv. dept. 363; correction in date of seniority of—as 3rd grade offr. . . 504
Livingstone, Condr. R., Cattle farm, Hissar, transfd. to pension estabt. 473
Loan:—Notice regarding four per cent.—290, 298; rules for raising of loans by local authorities in the open market 346
Loch, Bde.-Surgn. J. H., M.D., apptd. to offe. as depy. surgn.-genl., C. P. 469
Loch, Lt. H. F., Royal Irish regt., offg. wg. offr., 1st N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . 389
Lockhart, Lt.-Col. W. S. A., C.B., Bengal infy.:—Promn. of — to bt. col. approved 390
Logan, Mr. R., B.C.S., confirmed in apptt. of under-secy. to govt. of India in dept. of finance and commerce 285; to offe. as acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh, and depy. comr. of paper currency, Allahabad, 318; recd. charge of above offices 372; made over charge of duties and availed himself of priv. leave 454
Losack, Capt. C. W., offg. in 1st grade of depy. consvrs. of forests, C. P., confirmed in apptt. . 433
Loudon, Lt. W. C., offg. wg. offr., 26th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 491
Lowdell, Surgn. C. G. W., Indian medl. service (Bombay):—Services of—replaced at disp. of mily. department 459
Luard, Lt.-Col. C. H., R.E., chief engr., 3rd class, tempy. rank, ry. branch, attd. temply. to office of consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys., Calcutta 493
Lucas, Lt. C. C. St. E., sub asst. comsy. genl., 2nd class, on probn., confirmed in his apptt. . . 342
Lucas, Mr. G., uncovtd. asst. to poll. resdt. in. Persian Gulf, granted priv. leave 307
Ludlow, Maj. E. S., C.I.E., M.S.C., comdt., to be lt.-col., Hyderabad voltr. rifle corps 384
Lugard, Lt.-Col. H. I., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Lumsdaine, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. J., Bombay army, granted hony. rank of surgn.-genl. on retirement . 373

Page

Lyall, Mr. C. J., M.A., C.I.E., C.S., to offe. as judge and comr. of the Assam valley dists. 279; confirmed in apptt. of offg. secy. to chief comr. of Assam 483
Lyon, Mr. P. C., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., Bengal (L. P.) 453
Lyons, 1st Class Apothy. T., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 327
Lyster, Lt. A. W., from 1st West India regt.:—Admn. of — to B.S.C., as a lt. approved . . 443

M

MAANEN, Mr. P. J. V.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — 400
Macaulay, Maj. C. E., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Macartney, Lt. H. F. T., Yorkshire regt., offg. squad. offr., 9th Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 434
MacCarthy, Revd. W., apptd. to be a senr. chaplain on Bengal estabt. 490
Macdonald, Lt.-Col. D., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 435
Macdonald, Surgn. D. P., M.D., furlo. out of India . 302
Macdonald, Mr. R. G., reverted to exmr., 3rd class, tempy. rank, superior accts. estabt., p w. d. . . 445
Macdonald, Col. R. M., M.S.C.:—Name of — placed on list of maj.-genls. 398
Macfadyen, Mr. J.:—Recognition of apptt. of — as actg. consul-genl. for Denmark at Calcutta confirmed 280
MacGeorge, Mr. E. F.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 326
MacGeorge, Mr. G. W., apptd. depy. consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys., Lucknow . 435
MacGregor, Col. (Local Maj.-Genl.) *Sir* C. M., K.C.B., C.S.I., C.I.E., B.S.C.:—Good service pension conferred on — 503
Macintyre, Lt. D. C. F., from Seaforth Highlanders:—Admn. of — to B.S.C. as lt. approved. . 351
MacIvor, Mr. C. V., exe. engr., 2nd grade, ry. branch, granted extn. of furlo. 391; services of — placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 444
Mackie, Mr. C. H., in class III of state ry., loco. dept., transfd. to estabt. under orders of dir. genl. of rys., p. w. d. 391
Mackinnon, Maj. C. K., to be wg. comdr. and 2nd-in-comd., 2nd Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force 293
Maclean, Lt.-Col. C. S., C.B., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
MacMullen, Lt. G. R., Duke of Cornwall's light infy.:—Admn. to B.S.C. as lt. approved 321; to be wg. offr., 6th Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force 491
MacMullen, Lt. W. H. F., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 443
Macnaghten, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) W. H., C.B., cavy. comdt., 13th Bengal lancers, furlo. out of India . 442
Maconochy, Lt. E. W. S. K., East Yorkshire regt., apptd. a probnr. for Indian S.C., and placed at disp. of govt. of Madras 472
Macpherson, Maj. J. D., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 502
Macpherson, Mr. J. L., reverted to exmr., 4th class, 3rd grade, superior accts. estabt., p. w. d. . . . 445

Page

Macpherson, Mr. W., B.C.S.:—Services of — replaced at disp. of govt. of Bengal 469
Macrae, Mr. J. K., depy. comr., 2nd grade, British Burma commn., promtd. to depy. comr., 1st grade 345
Macturk, Lt.-Col. W. D., Bengal infy.:—Promn. of — to bt. col. approved 491
Madden, Maj. T. D., B.S.C.:—Promn. of — to lt.-col. approved 390
Magar Singh, Duffadar, 1st regt., C. I. Horse, promtd. to jemadar 332
Mahaboola Khan, Subadar-maj., 44th N. I., admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur" 424
Mahomed Hassan Khan:—Apptt. of — as vice-consul for Persia at Bombay recognised, subject to confirmation 506
Mahomed Kazim Khan, "Bahadur," Ressaldar-maj., 3rd Bengal cavy., admtd. to 1st class of Order of British India, with title of "Sirdar Bahadur" . 424
Maisey, Lt. F. C., B.S.C., promtd. to capt., subject to H. M.'s approval 398
Maisey, Lt.-Genl. F. C., Bengal infy., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 397; do. do. 457; promn. of — to capt. approved 491
Maitab Singh, "Bahadur," Jemadar, 6th Bengal cavy., to be ressaidar 322
Mallett, Mr. E. J., junr:—Specfn. of invention filed by — 325, 326
Mallins, Surgn. C., M.B., medl. offr., 4th infy., to be offg. medl. offr., 4th cavy., Hyderabad contgt., 342; to be medl. offr., 1st infy., Hyderabad contgt., but to continue to offe. as medl. offr., 4th cavy. 502
Mallock, Lt.-Col. H. A., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Maloney, Hony. Lt. and Asst. Comsy. M., p. w. d., transfd. to pension estabt. 424
Mangles, Mr. R. L., V.C., permtd. to resign H. M.'s B.C.S. 297
Mann, Mr. G., consvr. of forests, 3rd grade, Assam, to offe. in 2nd grade 395
Mann, 1st Class Asst. Apothy. W., to be 2nd class apothy. 390
Manson, Revd. G. W., B.D., offg. senr. chaplain of church of Scotland on Bengal estabt.:—Services of — replaced at disp. of govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh 406
Mardan Ali Khan, Ressaidar and Woordie-maj., 12th Bengal cavy., promtd. to ressaldar 385
Marsh, Mr. R. M., asst. engr., 1st grade, ceased to belong to p. w. d. 504
Marine:—Offrs. of Indian — how to be graded, 408; do. in the table of precedence 409; port apptts. to be filled by offrs. of Indian—409; order regarding mily. guards for services as mariners on board Indian govt. vessels 409; order regarding colors to be worn by all vessels of Indian —. . 409
Marine Surveys:—Offrs. of Indian — how to be graded 409
Marrett, Lt. E. U., to be subaltern, No. 3 field batty., Hyderabad contgt. 302
Marsack, Col. A. B., Madras, placed on list of maj.-generals 457
Marshall, Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. D., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement . . . 424
Marshall, Maj. G. F. L., R.E., exe engr., 1st grade, tempy. supdg. engr., 3rd class, under-secy. to govt. of India, p. w. d., furlo. out of India . . . .
Martelli, Capt. N. C., poll. asst., 1st class, to offe. as poll. agent, 3rd class . . . . . .
Marten, Mr. W. H., depy. exmr., N.-W. P. and Oudh, granted furlo. in India . . . . .
Martin, Surgn.-Maj. D. N., M.D., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) . . . . . .
Martin, Lt. E. W. F., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) . . . . . .
Martin, Capt. G. W., B.S.C., depy. assay mr., Bombay mint, furlo. out of India . . .
Martin, Mr. K., asst. engr., Indian marine, permtd. to resign his apptt. . . . . .
Martindale, Mr. A. H. T., M.C.S., offg. poll. agent of 3rd class, and asst. secy. to govt. of India in foreign dept., granted priv. leave . . .
Martindale, Lt. C. S. deB., 5th Goorkha infy.:—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of Punjab 459; admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation. . .
Martyn, Mr. G. V., promtd. to exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, p. w. d., ry. branch . . .
Mason, Voltr. A. H., to be lt., Seebpore college voltr. rifle corps . . . . . .
Masotti, Mr. P.:—Apptt. of—as actg. consul for Belgium at Bombay recognised, subject to confirmation 307; above confirmed . . .
Massy, Lt. H. S., B.S.C., squad. offr., 19th Bengal lancers, furlo. out of India . . . . .
Masters, Capt. A., apptd. poll. asst., Goona . .
Mathew, Surgn.-Maj. R. G., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) .
Mathura Singh, Ressaidar, 6th Bengal cavy., promtd. to ressaldar . . . . . .
Matthews, Lt.-Col. C. R., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.)
Maude, Mr. W., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., Bengal (L. P.) . . . . . .
Maung Pokaw, Myook, to be extra asst. comr., 6th grade . . . . . .
Maung Shwe Go, Myook, to be extra asst. comr., 6th grade . . . . . .
Maxwell, Lt. R. C., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, p. w. d., ry. branch . .
Maxwell, Lt. R. M., Royal Irish regt., wg. offr., 6th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation. .
May, Lt.-Col. J., Bengal infy., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . . .
Maynard, Maj. F. N. M., promn. to lt.-col., B.S.C., approved . . . . . .
McDermott, Sergt. J., promtd. to sub-condr. . .
McDermott, Condr. W. J., ord. dept., furlo. out of India . . . . . .
McDonald, Mr. A., asst. engr., 2nd class, Indian marine:—Services of—dispensed with . . .
McGill, Mr. J., depy. supdt., 4th grade, surv. of India, granted furlo. 345,
McGregor, Mr. W. E. S., promtd. to class IV of state ry., reve. estabt., p. w. d. . . . .
McLeod, Store-Sergt. H., to be sub-condr., on probn.
McMillan, Mr. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 425; services of—placed at disp. of dir. genl. of railways . . . . . .
McNeill, Condr. D., ord. dept., furlo. out of India .
McRae, Capt. A. S., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) .
McRae, Sub-Condr. C. S., adjt.-genl.'s office, furlo. out of India . . . . . .

Page

McRae, Capt. H. N., S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 506
McWilliam, Mr. O. G. R., C.S., depy. comr., 2nd grade, Assam :—Services of—replaced at disp. of govt. of Bengal 505
Meade, Lt. J. W. B., squad. offr., to be adjt., 3rd cavy., Hyderabad contgt. 327
Medley, Lt. E. J., from Suffolk regt. :—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt., approved 351
Medley, Maj.-Genl., J. G., R.E., chief engr., class I, and consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys., Lahore, re-apptd. to p. w. d. as chief engr., class I, and retains same apptt. 425
Meiklejohn, Maj. W. H., genl list, infy., wg. comdr., 20th N. I., furlo. out of India . . 402
Mein, Lt. A. L., R.E., reverted to asst. engr., 1st grade, mily. works dept. 507
Mein, Lt. F. B., from Manchester regt. :—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt. approved 443; to be adjt., 5th Punjab infy. 506
Melvill, Lt. P. J., promtd. to asst. comr., 3rd class, Berar commn., 365; to offe. as poll. asst., 2nd class 396
Merwanjee Cooverjee, jemadar, 1st regt., C. I. Horse, permtd. to resign his commn. . . . 285
Mhow :—Cantt. magte. of—being European British subject, to be a justice of peace within limits of cantt. of— 346
Michea, Mr. P. P. F. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— 325
Michell, Mr. W., asst. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under dir. genl. of railways 425
Middleton, Lt. H. J. J., East Kent regt., squad. offr., 3rd Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 434
Miles, Lt.-Col. S. B., posted as poll. agent at Muscat 378
Military Dept. :—Correction of spelling of name of an offr. 294, 321; erratum in G. G. O. No. 426 of 1883, 403; correction in G. G. O. No. 611 of 1883 492
Miller, Mr. R., nominated to be an addl. member of govr. genl.'s legis. council 468
Mills, Mr. J. C., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424; services of—placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 444
Milsom, Mr. B. P., promtd. permtly. to exe. engr., 4th grade 445
Milton, Sergt. W. H., promtd. to sub-condr. . . 322
Minto, Lt.-Col. J. C., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 368; promtd. to col. 473
Mints :—Resolution regarding Calcutta and Bombay— 483
Mirza Hassan Ali Khan, C.I.E., attaché to agent to govr. genl. in Biluchistan, sub. *pro tem.*, granted priv. leave 497
Mitchell, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. H. E., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement . . . 423
Mir Abdoor Rahman, Jemadar, 2nd Bengal cavy., to be ressaidar 385
Mir Ahsan-ul-Hak, offg. attaché to the resdt. at Hyderabad, confirmed in his apptt. . . . 388
Mir Alam Khan, Bahadur, of Chamkanni, ressaldar-maj., 1st Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force :—Title of "Khan Bahadur" conferred upon— . 372
Mirza Abdulla Khan, "Bahadur," Ressaldar, 10th Bengal lancers, admtd. to 1st class of Order of British India, with title of "Sirdar Bahadur" . 424
Mirza Suleiman Khan :—Apptt. of—as consul for Persia at Bombay, recognised 355

Page

Mobarak Singh, Kote-Duffadar, 12th Bengal cavy., promtd. to jemadar 385
Mockler, Maj. E., reverted to poll. agent, 3rd class, 378; posted as asst. poll. agent at Busreh . . 378
Mohomed Eussuf Khan, Ressaldar, 2nd Bengal cavy., to be ressaldar-maj. 385
Molesworth, Lt. E. H., 13th N. I. :—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam . . . 406
Molesworth, Mr. G. L. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— 325
Monahan, Mr. J. H., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., Bengal (L. P.) 453
Monckton, Mr. M. J., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank :—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of foreign. dept. for employment in Meywar state . 409
Money, Lt.-Col. G. N., C.B., B.S.C. :—Retirement and promn. of—antedated 343
Monk, Mr. H. L., exe. engr., 2nd grade :—Services of—temply. placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh, p. w. d. 364
Montague, Mr. J. M., promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade 415
Montanaro, Lt. A., B.S.C. :—Correction in Christian name of—343; promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 424; correction of Christian name of— 487
Moore, Lt. G. H. J., from Royal Irish regt. :—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt. approved 407
Moriarty, Surgn. M. D., M.B., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 327
Morice, Surgn.-Maj. J. C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 506
Morris, Revd. D. B., M.A., to be a senr. chaplain on Bengal estabt. 463
Morris, 1st Class Apothy. E. A., sub-medl. dept., Madras, to have hony. rank of surgn. 321
Morris, Mr. F. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 280
Morris, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) R., Bengal cavy., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 343; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 472; granted furlo. out of India (p. a.) 502
Morse, Mr. F. H. W., promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.*, p. w. d., ry. branch . . 344
Morton, Mr. A., to offe. as manager of H. H. the Nizam's state ry., in addn. to his own duties . 458
Morton, Bt. Lt.-Col. G. deC., Royal Warwickshire regt., depy asst. adjt. genl., to be an asst. adjt. general 434
Mosley, Maj. J. E. P., apptd. comdt., Biluchistan vol. rifle corps 286
Muhammud Afzul Khan, C.S.I., Khan Bahadur, ressaidar, 11th (Prince of Wales' Own) Bengal lancers :—Conferment of local and tempy. rank of lt.-col. upon—approved 321
Muhammad Mehndi Khan, to offe. temply. as native asst., at Sibi, to agent to govr. genl. in Biluchistan 490
Muir, Capt. A. M., offg. poll. asst., 2nd class, to offe. as poll. asst., 1st class 396
Muir, Capt. C. W., B.S.C., offg. comdt., govr. genl.'s body-guard, to be comdt. 502
Muller, Mr. V. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 496
Mulroney, Surgn. T. R., M.D. :—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of govt. of Punjab . . . 325
Munbodh, Jemadar, 10th N. I., to be subadar . . 503
Mungavin, Mr. M. E., promtd. to 2nd class. asst. apothecary 351

Page

Municipalities:—Account of—for 1881-82 . . 419
Murdan Ali Khan, Ressaldar and Woordie-Maj., 12th Bengal cavy., admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur" . . 424
Murray, Mr. E., apptd. to offe. as asst. consvr. of forests, 3rd grade 297
Murray, Mr. G., asst. engr., Indian marine:—Services of—dispensed with 424
Murray, Maj. H. Y., apptd. to offe. as supdg. engr. and secy. to agent, govr. genl. for Rajputana in p. w. d. 386
Murray, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. J., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement 424
Murray, Mr. P. G., apptd. to state ry. reve. estabt. as a probnr. in the traffic candidate class . . 353
Murray, Col. R., B.S.C.:—Acknowledgment of services rendered to govt. by — 323; furlo. out of India . 465
Murzban, Mr. M. C., apptd. to the state ry. reve. estabt., as a probnr. in the traffic candidate class . 353
Muttatt Paranchunni Lazer:—Specfn. of invention filed by — 464
Mutty Lall Dey, Babu, exe. engr., 4th grade:—Services of — placed at disp. of govt. of Madras in ry. branch 287

N

NARAIN SINGH, Subadar, to be subadar-maj., 6th Punjab infy., Punjab frontier force . . . 294
Narain Singh, Jemadar, 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, promtd. to ressaidar 298
Narain Singh, Subadar, 16th N. I., promtd. to subadar-maj. 390
Native Passenger Ships Act:—Altns. directed to be made in certain schedules of medicines and medl. appliances referred to in rule II of rules made under provisions of sec. 46 of — 388
Neilson, Surgn. W. H., M.B., to offe. as medl. offr., Erinpoorah irr. force 371
Nek Mahomed Khan, Jemadar, 15th Bengal cavy., confirmed in his rank 363
Nelson, Mr. R. E.—Services of — placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 437; correction in above notfn. relative to — 488
Newell, Lt. W. J., B.S.C., wg. offr., 11th N. I., granted furlo. out of India (p. a.) 491
Newill, Capt. J. H., poll. asst., 1st class, posted as an asst. to govr. genl.'s agent in Rajputana 454; apptd. to be magte. of Abu, and asst. to genl. supdt. of operations for suppression of thuggee and dacoity in Lower Rajputana 454; to exercise powers of a magte. of the dist., and of a dist. court for hearing original suits at Abu 454
Newmarch, Lt.-Col. O. R., B.S.C., to offe. as secy. to govt. of India, mily. dept. 487
Nicholson, Maj. W. G., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, mily. works dept. . . 287
Nisbet, Maj. R. P., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. . . . 403
Nizam Ally Khan, Ressaidar, 2nd Bengal cavy., to be ressaldar 385
Nizamdin, Pay Havildar, to be jemadar, 30th N. I. . 435
Norman, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) F. B., C.B., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 491
Norman, Lt. W. W., to offe. as squad. offr. on probn., 2nd Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force . . 302
Norris, *Hon'ble* J. F., barrister-at-law, judge, high court, Fort William, Bengal, obtained priv. leave . 3
Notaries Public:—List of persons apptd. to perform functions of — 393, 433, 469, 4
Noverre, Maj. W. L., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Nowrutton Singh, Jemadar, 10th N. I., promtd. to subadar 3
Nripendro Narain Bahadoor, Maharajah of Cooch Behar, to have hony. rank of maj. in the army . 3
Nundh Singh, Subadar-maj., 14th N. I., admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur" 4
Nuthall, Maj. H. J., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 363; services of — placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 444; promn. of — to lt.-col. approved 4

O

OBBARD, Col. H. S., B.S.C., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 39
Obbard, Lt.-Col. T., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 49
O'Callaghan, Mr. I. E., apptd. to act as consvr. of forests of the central circle in N.-W. P. and Oudh 62
O'Donnell, Lt. A. C., Somersetshire light infy., wg. offr., 10th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 43
O'Donnell, Lt. H., South Wales Borderers, wg. offr., 44th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 30
O'Farrell, Depy. Asst. Comsy. J. H., Bengal estabt., to have hony. rank of lt. 350; promtd. to rank of asst. engr., 3rd grade 40
O'Gorman, Passed Hospl. Appce. P. W., to be 2nd class asst. apothy. 39
Oldham, Surgn.-Maj. C. F., 1st Goorkha regt., furlo. out of India 43
Oldham, Maj. F. G., R.E., apptd. exmr. of tel. accounts 39
Oldham, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 40
Oliphant, Insptg. Vety. Surgn. G. A., to be prinl. vety. surgn. in India 40
Oliphant, Mr. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 46
Olpherts, Mr. R.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 27
Ommanney, Lt. G. S., Norfolk regt., wg. offr., 10th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 43
Oomed Ali, Subadar, 39th N. I., admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur" 42
Organisation:—Offrs. of Indian marine how to be graded 408; do. in the table of precedence 409; port apptts. to be filled by offrs. of Indian marine 409; order regarding mily. guards for services as marines on board Indian govt. vessels 409; order regarding colors to be worn by all vessels of the Indian marine 40
Outum Sing, Kote-Duffadar, 4th Bengal cavy., to be jemadar 32
Owen, Mr. H. P., apptd. to offe. as supdt., 1st grade, Indian tel. dept. 46

Page

P

PACKER, Sub-Condr. J., on probn., confirmed in his present grade 368
Palmer, Lt.-Col. A. P., B.S.C., promtd. to bt.col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Palmer, Maj. R. H., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Palmer, Mr. R. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 496
Palmer, Mr. W., apptd. exmr., p. w. accts., C. I., 398; reverted to exmr., 4th class, 1st grade . 445
Pandit Dharam Narain, Rai Bahadur, Mir Munshi of the C. I. agency, and offg. native asst. to govr. genl.'s agent in C. I., confirmed in apptt. of native asst. 406
Pandit Suraj Narain, attaché to resdt. at Hyderabad, sub. *pro tem.*, confirmed in his apptt. . . 388
Pannell, Sub-Condr. W., on probn., confirmed in his present grade 466
Paper Currency:—Abstract of accts. of dept. of issue of—on 30th June 1883, 293; on 31st July, 350; on 31st Aug., 384; on 30th Sept., 407; on 31st Oct., 465; on 30th Nov. 490
Parish, Mr. C. H., offg. asst. supdt. of police, Chittagong hill tracts:—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam 489
Parsons, Lt.-Col. A. D., Madras cavy., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . 487
Parsons, Lt. C. G., Cheshire regt., offg. wg. offr., 1st N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 327
Partridge, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. S. B., Indian medl. dept., retired list, to be hony. surgn. to the queen . 321
Partridge, Voltr. W. A. M., to be lt., E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps 343
Partridge, Mr. W. R., apptd. a member of B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh 453
Passy, Lt. H. E., asst. mily. acctt., on probn., confirmed in his apptt. 367
Patch, Capt. R., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to maj. approved 390; granted leave in India . . . 465
Paterson, Maj. H., B.S.C., wg. comdr. and 2nd-in-comd., 23rd N. I., furlo. out of India . . . 327
Patterson, Mr. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 280
Pay and Allowances:—Para. 2 of g. g. o. No. 1220 of 1878 expunged, and other words substituted for it 466
Payne, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. A. J., M.D., offg. surgn.-genl. and sany. comr. with govt. of India, granted priv. leave 325; services of— replaced at disp. of govt. of Bengal 331
Peacock, Mr. J. W., asst. engr., 2nd class, Indian marine:—Services of—dispensed with . . . 409
Pears, Lt. T. C., asst. comr., Merwara, apptd. a justice of the peace within certain portions of the Rajputana-Malwa ry. 307; to offe. as poll. asst., 2nd class 397
Pearse, Lt.-Col. C. J., M.S.C., promtd. to col. . . 397
Pearson, Revd. A. C., M.A., junr. chaplain on Bengal establt.; to be a senr. chaplain 433
Peile, Lt. S. C. F., B.S.C., sub-asst. comsy. genl., 2nd class, granted leave in India 302; granted extn. of leave 350; to be sub-asst. comsy. genl., 1st class, 389; granted leave in India . . . 403
Pelley, Mr. E. B. Le., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 424

Page

Pemberton, Lt.-Col. W. W., M.S.C., to be bt. col., Bengal army, subject to H. M.'s approval 321; promtd. to col. 435
Pennell, Lt. H. L., 1st Dragoon guards, apptd. on probn. to B.S.C., and posted to corps under govt. of India 286; granted leave to study native languages 378
Pennington, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col). C. R., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval . . 403
Perkins, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) Æ., C.B., R.E., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 442
Perkins, Lt. N. C., from Wiltshire regt.:—Admn. of —to B.S.C. as a lt., approved 442
Perry, Mr. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 371
Petley, Lt. E. W., R. N., to be lt., Calcutta naval arty. voltr. corps 391
Phillips, Lt. A. L., Dorsetshire regt., offg. wg. offr., 28th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 320
Phillips, Mr. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 424
Phillips, Mr. H. A. D., B.C.S., presented with donation for having obtained a degree of honour in Bengali in 1st divn. 297
Pickard-Cambridge, Lt. G. T., B.S.C., granted furlo. (m. c.) 321
Pigot, Mr. J. L., apptd. asst. consvr. of forests, 3rd grade, and posted to the Punjab 505
Picthall, Bde.-Surgn. J., M.D., Bengal army, to have hony. rank of depy. surgn.-genl. on retirement . 342
Pierce, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) T. W. W., Bo.S.C.:—Good service pension conferred upon — 404
Piffard, Mr. A. J. G., promtd. to be a 3rd grade offr., Indian marine 351
Pifre, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — . 371
Pilgrimage:—Quarantine spl. regns. applicable to the — of the year 1883 305
Pirie, Lt. C. P. W., Devonshire regt., offg. squad. offr., 15th Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 367
Pitman, Mr. C. E., C.I.E., promtd. to supdt., 3rd grade, Indian tel. dept. 391
Pitt, Capt. W. R. E., apptd. to p. w. d. as supy., with rank of exe. engr., 4th grade, and posted to ry. branch 344; posted to office of consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys., Lahore . . 353
Pitumber Sing, Havildar, 11th N. I., promtd. to jemadar (supy.) 302
Plant, Lt.-Col. W. C., depy. comr., 1st grade, British Burma commn., promtd. to comr. 345
Plowden, Mr. W. C., late census comr. for India:—Services of—replaced at disp. govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 418
Plowden, Lt. W. F. C. C., 5th Bengal cavy.:—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam . . 406
Pogliani, Mr. A.:—Apptt. of—as actg. vice-consul for Italy at Aden recognised, subject to confirmation 331; recognition of apptt. of—as above confirmed 440
Political:—Amended rules for admn. to, and retention of, apptts. in the—dept. 281; order regarding above rules 284
Pollock, Lt. F. G., South Yorkshire regt., squad. offr., 8th Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 342
Ponsonby, Mr. C. J., apptd. to offe. in 1st grade of depy. consvr. of forests, N.-W. P. and Oudh . . 433

Page

Porter, Lt. C. B., B.S.C., transfd. to half-pay list, subject to H. M.'s approval 390; transfer of—to half-pay list approved 457
Porter, Lt. G. M., R.E., reverted to asst. engr., 1st grade, mily. works dept. 507
Porter, Mr. L. A. S., B.C.S., presented with donation for having obtained a degree of honour in Persian in 1st divn. 297
Portman, Mr. M. V., to offe as extra asst. supdt., 1st class, Port Blair and Nicobars, 377; confirmed in his apptt. as offg. extra asst. supdt., 2nd class, Port Blair and Nicobars 489
Possmann, Mr. J., Supdt., Persian Gulf sec., Indo-European tel. dept., to offe. as engr. and electrician 364
Post, Mr. J. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 496
Post Cards:—Transmission by letter post of inland and foreign reply—authorised 497
Poynder, Sergt. J. L., Madras medl. service, apptd. civil surgn. of Balaghat in C. P. 305
Prankissen Mookerjee, Baboo:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 464
Pratt, Mr. C. appce. engr., ry. branch, promtd. to asst. engr., 3rd grade, p. w. d. 507
Precedence:— Dy. comrs. of salt reve., Madras presdy., to take rank in 3rd class of certain supplementary graded list of civil offices not reserved for members of Covenanted Civil Service . . 495
Prendergast, Lt.-Col. C. O. L. L., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 397
Preston, Lt. J. E., M.S.C., wg. offr., 13th Madras N. I., to be a sub-asst. comsy. genl., 2nd class, on probation 286
Price, Lt. C. H. U., Welsh regt., a probnr. for Indian S.C., placed at disp. of govt. of Bombay . 327
Price, Maj. T., M.S.C.:—Retirement of—approved 342; to have hony. rank of lt.-col. 342
Price, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 371
Price, Mr. W. H., promtd. to class IV of state ry. reve. estabt., traffic dept. 504
Priestley, Lt. F. J. B., from Leicestershire regt.:—Admn. of—to B.S.C. as a lt. approved . . 443
Prince of Wales—Field Marshal H. R. H. Albert Edward—and Duke of Cornwall, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., a.d.c., to be hony. col., 6th Bengal cavy. 403
Pringle, Surgn.-Maj. R., M. D., depy. sany. comr., N.-W. P. and Oudh, furlo. out of India . . 362
Prinsep, the *Hon'ble* H. T., a judge of the high court, Fort William, Bengal, obtained priv. leave . 370
Prisons:—Certain buildings or parts of buildings at certain stations set apart as part of mily.—at those stations 373
Pritchard, Lt. A. B., Somersetshire light infy., offg. wg. offr., 39th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 423
Pritchard, Lance Corpl. C. V. M. C., to be a lt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps 488
Procter, Col. M. M., invested with powers of a magte. of 1st class, to be exercised within limits of Morar cantt. 396; apptd. to be a justice of peace within limits of Morar cantt. 396; invested with powers to try breaches of certain rules or regns. applying to cantt. of Morar 401; notfn. investing —with powers of a magte. of 1st class as above, cancelled 440

Page

Promissory Notes:—Notice regarding discharge of certain original—, 379; lists of—advertised for discharge 379
Public Works Dept.:—Amalgamation of—consg. and depy. consg. engrs. of Madras and Bombay with estabt. of ry. branch 374
Pulley, Lt. C., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 443
Pundit Premnath, exmr., 4th class, 3rd grade, tempy. rank, transfd. to I. V. S. ry. 295
Pundit Sarup Narain, offg. poll. asst., 2nd class, to offe. as poll. asst., 1st class, 396; apptd. to hold charge of current duties of office of poll. agent in Bhopawar 433
Punjab:—Act XII of 1850 extended to scheduled dists. of— 505
Punjab N. S. Ry.:—List of engrs. employed on surv. and constn. of— 303
Pursun, Color-Havildar, 10th N. I., to be jemadar . 503
Pyx Coins:—Order regarding report, &c., on—of Calcutta and Bombay mints, issued in 1882 . . 441

Q

QUARANTINE:—Special regns. applicable to the pilgrimage of the year 1883 305
Quin, Lt. T., to be offg. wg. offr., 6th Punjab infy., on probn. 372
Quin, Maj. T. J., genl. list, infy., asst. comr., 2nd class, N.-W. P. and Oudh, granted furlo. (p. a.) . 293

R

RACHPAL SINGH, Kote-Duffadar, 6th Bengal cavy., to be jemadar 322
Radcliffe, Maj.-Genl. G. T., Madras cavy., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 398; to be a lt.-genl. . 398
Raddock, Surgn.-Maj. C. E., apptd. to medl. charge of Bundelkhand poll. agency, in addn. to his other duties 410
Radford, Lt. O. C., B.S.C., promtd. to capt., subject to H. M.'s approval 398; promn. of—to capt. approved 491
Raffin, Sub-Condr. G., on probn., ord. dept., confirmed in present grade 398
Rahimdad Khan, Jemadar, 12th Bengal cavy., to be ressaidar and woordie-maj. 385
Rae Bishen Sarup, depy. magte. at Kekri, apptd. to hold charge of current duties of office of comr. of Merwara 418
Raimer, Mr. P., asst. traffic supdt. in class IV of superior reve. estabt., apptd. to act in class III . 329
Raja Rajendra Narayen Deb, Bahadur:—Priv. of private entrée to govt. house conferred upon— . 418
Rajputana:—Certain offrs. apptd. justices of the peace within territories of native chiefs included in the—agency 387
Ramadhar Panday, Jemadar, to be subadar, 12th N. I. 424
Ramchurn Tewary, Color-Havildar, 10th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 302
Ramgolam, Jemadar, Bengal sappers and miners, to be subadar 502

Page

Ramlall, Jemadar, Mhairwarra battn., promtd. to subadar 460
Rampersad Doobay, Havildar, to be jemadar, 12th N. I. 424
Rampur:—Offr. holding certain offices, if a European British subject, apptd. a justice of the peace within territories of Nawab of— 289
Ramsay, Lt. H. L., reverted to offg. poll. asst., 2nd class, 378; posted as cantt. magte. at Nasirabad 378; to offe. as poll. asst. of 1st class . . . 396
Rao Sahib Krishnaji Ballal Sugtahkar, Mamlatdar of Hubli, in Dharwar collrte. of Bombay presdy.:—The title "Rao Bahadur" conferred upon— . . 388
Randell, Mr. R.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — . 496
Ranken, Lt. G. P., from Manchester regt.:—Admn. of — to B S.C. as a lt. approved 443
Ravenshaw, Lt. C. W., apptd. to offe. as a poll. asst. of 3rd class and posted as 2nd asst. to agent to govr. genl. in C. I. 497
Raymond, Lt. H W., Royal Irish rifles, apptd. a probnr. for Indian S.C., and placed at disp. of govt. of Bombay 472
Redwood, Mr. W. A., apptd. to be a marriage registrar in respect of all places within dist. of Kolar in state of Mysore, and licensed to grant certis. of marriage between Native Christians within said dist. 460
Reformatory:—Juvenile — at Poona, to be deemed a — established by local govt. of Hyderabad assigned dists. for confinement of persons under certain age, &c. 483
Regulation No. II of 1883 (relating to police offrs. in Assam) 369
Reid, Sub-Condr. and Offg. Condr. G. G., comst. dept., to be condr. 363
Remfrey, Mr. H. H.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — 280, 496
Rendel, Mr. A. M., consg. engr. to India office:—Name of — inadvertently omitted in certain notfn. 303
Rennick, Capt. A. deC., B.S.C., cantt. magte., 1st class, Mooltan, furlo. out of India . . . 384
Rennie, Mr. W. C., exe. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under dir. genl. of rys. 409; promtd. permtly. to exe. engr., 1st grade 445
Reorganisation:—Formation of a comttee. to consider certain proposals for the—of the p. w. d. . 351
Ribbentrop, Mr. B., consvr. of forests, 2nd grade, Punjab, to offe. in 1st grade 395
Rice, Lt.-Col. H. C. P., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Riddell, Maj. R. V., R.E., apptd. to be mint mr., Calcutta 497
Riker, Mr. C. L.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — . 496
Ritz, Mr. A.:—Apptt. of — as actg. consul for Austro-Hungarian empire at Calcutta recognised, subject to confirmation 471
Rivers, Lt.-Col. F. J., M.S.C.:—Retirement of — approved 403; granted hony. rank of col. on retirement 403
Rivett-Carnac, Lt. E. H., B.S.C., squad. offr., 19th Bengal lancers, furlo. out of India . . . 350
Roberts, Maj. A. W., posted as asst. poll. agent at Banswarra 356
Roberts, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) J., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 362; permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval 461; retirement of — approved 473; to have hony. rank of maj.-genl. on retirement 473
Roberts, Mr. R. W., promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade 415
Robertson, Lt.-Col. D., Bengal genl. list, infy., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . 368
Robertson, Lt.-Col. R S., B.S.C, granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 487
Robinson, Lt. J. G., Warwickshire regt., offg. wg. offr., 2nd (Prince of Wales' Own) Gurkha regt., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . . 350
Rochfort, Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. T. F. C.:—Promn. to lt.-col., cavy., Bengal army., approved . . 294
Roe, Surgn.-Maj. W. A. C., extn. of furlo. (m. c) . 491
Rogers, Mr. A. C.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — 280
Rooke, Mr. T. H.:—Apptt. of — as actg. consular agent for Italy at Akyab recognised, subject to confirmation 285; above confirmed . . . 401
Rooper, Mr. P. L., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to N.-W. P. and Oudh 424
Rose, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) A. G., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . 457
Rose, Mr. A. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by —. 440
Rose, Mr. O.:—Specfn. of invention filed by — . 496
Ross, Lt.-Col. A. G., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Ross, Maj. G. C., B.S C.:—Promn. of — to lt.-col. approved 390
Rowcroft, Lt.-Col. F. F., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 327; further extn. of furlo. 465; promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . 492
Rowland, Mr. A., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to C. P. 425
Rowland, Mr. R W., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to the Punjab 424
Rowland, Revd. W. J., junr. chaplain, Bengal eccl. estabt., permtd. to resign the service . . . 439
Rudr Partab Singh, Talukdar of Urayadih, in Partabgurh dist., in Oudh:—Title of "Dewan" recognised as hereditary title of— . . . 388
Rule, Mr. E., recd. charge of duties as comptr. of Indian treasuries 464
Russell, Surgn. E. G., M.B.:—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of govt. of Bengal . . . 305
Russell, Mr. H., to be senr. apothy. . . . 322
Russel, Mr. R. P., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to the Punjab 424
Rutherford, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) T. W., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (m. c) 342; granted further extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 506
Rutledge, Lt. W. B., to be a capt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps 434
Ryan, Depy. Asst. Comsy. P. J., Bengal estabt., to have hony. rank of lt. 350
Rynd, Lt.-Col. P. C., B.S.C., promtd. to col. . . 397

S

Sage, Capt. C. A. R., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . 342
Salt:—Imposing of certain duty on — manufactured in mines in dist. of Kohat 285; duty on—manufactured in Aden 327; resolution regarding the supply of cheap—for cattle in a way compatible with the safety of the—reve. . . . 356

Page

Saltpetre:—Rule regarding grant of licenses for importation or transport of—in certain dists. when such—is required for certain purposes . . 377
Sampson, Mr. A. B., B.A., under-secy. to govt. of India in p. w. d., granted extn. of furlo. . . 437
Samuells, Maj. W. L., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 465
Sandeman, Lt.-Col. *Sir* R. G., K.C.S.I., to be hony. col., Biluchistan voltr. rifle corps 286
Sanders, Mr. H. C., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to N.-W. P. and Oudh 424
Sandilands, Capt. A. N.:—Promn. to maj., B.S.C., approved 294
Sandys, Mr. M. W., permtd. to resign H. M.'s B.C.S. 495
Sarain Singh, trumpeter, 13th Bengal lancers, admtd. to 3rd class of the Order of Merit . . 373
Savielle, Mr, G. A., promtd. to asst. engr., 1st grade, sub *pro tem.*, p. w. d., ry. branch 314
Savings Banks:—Stamp-duty payable on receipts given by, or on behalf of, depositors in dist.—for sums of money withdrawn from such banks remitted in certain cases 357
Sawun Singh, Havildar, 20th N. I., to be jemadar . 368
Saxon, 2nd Class Apothy. S., granted furlo. 491; ditto ditto . 502
Sayyad Ahmad Khan, The *Hon'ble*, Bahadur, C.S.I., resignation by—of his office of addl. member of govr. genl.'s legis. council accepted . . 475
Scard, Mr. F. I.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 401
Schlich, Dr. W., confirmed in apptt. of inspr.-genl. of forests to govt. of India 280
Schrottky, Mr. E. C.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 370
Schulze, Mr. G. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 326
Sconce, Lt.-Col. J., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Scott, Capt. B., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, p. w. d.:—Notfn. relating to transfer of—cancelled . . 391
Scott, Mr. G. W. D.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 370
Scott, Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. T., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement 424
Scott, Maj. T. A., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 390
Scott-Moncrieff, Lt. G. K., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, transfd. to estabt. under dir. genl. of rys. 425
Scully, Surgn. J., Erinpoorah irr. force, granted leave to sea 384; services of—placed temply. at disp. of dept. of finance and commerce 433; recd. charge of office of assay mr., Bombay mint . . 471
Sealy, Mr. E. T.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 326
Sedgefield, Surgn. A. R. W., Indian medl. service, apptd. medl. offr. of 1st regt., C. I. Horse, 332; apptd. to medl. charge of Western Malwa poll. agency 372
Sedgwick, Maj. W., R.E., apptd. to act as manager and supdt. of way and works of Tirhoot state ry. 353; apptd. depy consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys. at Calcutta 425
Selby, Capt. H. O., R.E., confirmed in apptt. of depy. consg engr. for rys., Bombay, with rank of exe. engr., 4th grade 504
Sexton, Sub-Condr. J., on probn., confirmed in present grade 443
Sexton, Lt.-Col. J. M., Bo.S.C., promtd. to col. . 397
Shahnawaz Khan, Havildar, 4th Sikh infy., to be jemadar 303

Page

Shahzada Sharyar, apptd. jemadar, 9th Bengal cavy., on probn., confirmed in that rank 38
Shakespear, Lt. G. C. C., Royal Irish fusiliers, a candidate for the B.S.C., to be offg. wg. offr. on probn., 6th infy., Hyderabad contgt. . . . 38
Shannahan, Sergt.-Maj. J., chief warder, Chunar garrison, transfd. to pension estabt. . . . 36
Shanahan, Depy. Asst. Comsy. M., Bengal estabt., to have hony. rank of lt. 350; promtd. to hony. rank of asst. exmr. 37
Shanahan, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. T., to have rank of maj. on retirement 42
Sharigh:—Provisions of article 166, Indian articles of war (Act V of 1869) extended to outpost of— . 30
Sharp, Maj. W. G., M.S.C.:—Retirement of — approved 342; to have hony. rank of lt.-col. . . 34
Sharples, Transport Sergt. A., comst. dept., to be sub-condr. 48
Shaw, Mr. A. T. A., apptd. to the B.C.S., Bengal (L. P.) 45
Shaw, Surgn.-Maj. J. C., furlo. out of India . . 32
Shawe, Mr. A. E., apptd. to tel. dept. in India as asst. supdt., 4th grade 42
Shaw-Stewart, Col. J. H. M., R.E., consg. engr. for rys. to govt. of Madras, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Madras 4
Shedlock, Mr. O. J., asst. engr., 1st grade, sub *pro tem.*, British Burma, temply. transfd. to Madras . 3
Shelley, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) T. M., Bengal infy., promtd. to col., Bengal army, subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Sheo Dayal, Baboo, promtd. to exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, p. w. d., ry. branch 3
Shepherd, Maj. C. E., S.C., apptd. to offe. as engr.-in-chief of the Rewari-Ferozepore state ry., with rank of offg. supdg. engr., class III . . . 3
Shepherd, Revd. T. C.:—Services of — transfd. to Bengal (Lahore) eccl. estabt. 3
Shere Sing, Havildar, 30th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 3
Sheridan, Mr. P., will conduct duties of office of depy. dir. genl. during certain period . . . 3
Sherriff, Lt.-Col. J. P., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to rank of col. antedated 3
Shibdeo Singh, apptd., on probn., jemadar, 3rd Punjab cavy., confirmed in that rank 3
Shipley, Lt. L. M., Royal fusiliers, offg. squad. offr., 14th Bengal lancers, admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 4
Shipnell, Condr. G., ord. dept., transfd. to pension estabt. 3
Sibdial Sing, Jemadar, to be subadar, 6th N. I. . 4
Sibi:—Provisions of article 166, Indian articles of war (Act V of 1869) extended to outpost of — . 3
Silk, Mr. A. E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 4
Simpson, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. B., M. D., to offe. as surgn.-genl., Punjab 3
Simson, Mr. J., barrister-at-law, permtd. to resign H. M.'s B.C.S. 2
Sindia State Ry.:—Act XI of 1865 and certain secs. and chapters of Code of Civil Procedure extended to those portions of lands forming — which lie within territories of H. H. the Maharaja Sindia, and H. H. the Maharaj Rana of Dholpore, and certain offrs. invested with certain powers to administer aforesaid enactments 3

Page

Sinkinson, Mr. E. J., B.C.S., offg. acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh, and depy. comr. of paper currency, Allahabad :— Priv. leave granted to —318; resumed charge of his duties 456; recd. charge of office of acctt. genl., Bengal . . . 464
Skipwith, Maj. G. T., R.E., extn. of furlo. (p.a.) 362
Smith, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. C., M.D., C.B., Indian medl. service, Madras :—Good service pension conferred upon— 328
Smith, Lt. C. H. M., promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 443
Smith, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. H., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement . . . 423
Smith, Mr. H. C. :— Specfn. of invention filed by — 400
Smith, Maj. S., R.E. :—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of govt. of Madras 368
Smith, Sub-Condr. W. H., on probn., ord. dept., confirmed in present grade 390
Smyth, Surgn.-Maj. F. A., medl. offr., 27th (Punjab) regt. of N. I., apptd. to medl. charge of Gwalior poll. resdy., Morar cantt. magtcy., and Morar jail, in addn. to his own duties 490
Smyth, Maj. R. E. S., genl. list, infy., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 460
Somers-Eve, Mr. J. F., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Madras 424
Soobhan Ali, Ressaidar, 6th Bengal cavy., to be ressaldar 322
Sookhnandan, Havildar, 38th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 351
Soonder Sing, Havildar, to be jemadar, 6th N. I. . 457
Soonder Sing, Jemadar, Bengal sappers and miners, to be subadar 502
Soorjun Singh, Jemadar, 13th Bengal lancers, confirmed in that rank 502
Sorell, Lt. F. S., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. 434; promtd. to capt., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 443
Southon, Mr. J., promtd. to rank of hony. asst. engineer 504
Span, Mr. J. M., exe. engr., 2nd grade, Assam, transfd. temply. to Madras 404
Spearman, Maj. H. R., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 502
Speedy, Revd. T. B., B.A. :—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of Bengal 471
Stack, Mr. E., C.S., to offe. as secy. to the chief comr. of Assam valley dists. 279
Stamp :—Remission of—duty on certain receipts 357; reduction of—duty on certain power-of-attorney 418; certain debentures of comrs. for making improvements in port of Calcutta exempted from—duty in consideration of a sum paid as composition for same 441
Stansfield, Lt.-Col. H. H., Bengal infy :—Promn. of —to bt. col. approved 390; promtd. to col., subject to H. M.'s approval 398; furlo. out of India 402; promn. of—to col. approved . . . 491
Starkey, Mr. W. B., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 425
St. Clair, *Hon'ble* L. M., C. P., promtd. temply. to exe. engr., 4th grade, 375; reverted to his substantive rank of asst. engr., 1st grade . . . 493
Stead, Maj. A. J., genl. list, infy., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 443
Steel, Maj. E. H., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . 302

Page

Steers, Mr. S. B. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 32
Steiner, Mr. J. :—Apptt. of—as actg. consul for the Netherlands at Bombay recognised, subject to confirmation 326; recognition of apptt. of—as above confirmed 44
Stenson, Sub-Condr. H., comst. dept., was on leave in India in extn. of priv. leave 28
Stent, Mr. W. K., exe. engr., 3rd grade, ry. branch, granted extn. of furlo. 364; services of —placed at disp. of chief comr., Assam . . 47
Stevens, Surgn. A. E. R., extn. of furlo., (m. c.) . 4
Stevens, Lt.-Col. G. S., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 49
Stevens, Maj.-Genl. H. B., Bengal infy., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 397, 457; to be a lt.-genl. . 39
Steward, Lt.-Col. C. S., Madras cavy. :—Promn. of —to rank of col. by bt. antedated, subject to H. M.'s approval 36
Stewart, Lt.-Col. C. E., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Stewart, Maj. D. J., genl. list, infy., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 36
Stewart, Lt.-Col. G., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Stewart, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) J. C., to be 2nd-in-comd., 5th Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force, 367; promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 373; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 49
Stewart, Lt. J. M., to be offg. wg. offr., 1st Sikh infy., on probn. 37
Stewart, Lt.-Col. R. C., promtd. to bt. col. . . 32
Stewart, Lt. W. H. M., Oxfordshire light infy., offg. squad. offr., 1st Punjab cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . . . 43
Still, Mr. C. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— . . 32
Stock Notes :—Resolution on the objections to, and suggestions regarding,— 33
Stockley, Lt. V. M., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (u. p. a.) 4
Stoddard, Mr. A., exe. engr., 1st grade, British Burma, transfd. to Central India 48
Stoddart, Capt. C. H., B.S.C., promtd. to maj., subject to H. M.'s approval 385; promn. of—to maj. approved 49
Stokes, Capt. A. A., late of E. I. ry. voltr. rifle corps, permtd. to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of his regt. . . . 4
Stokes, Sub-Condr. G. J., on probn., confirmed in his present grade 4
Stollwerck, Mr. H. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— 4
Stollwerck, Mr. L. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— 4
Stollwerck, Mr. P. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 4
Stone, Revd. A. E., B.A. :—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh . . . 4
Storey, Mr. H. F., to act as manager, Indus valley ry., p. w. d. 3
Strachey, Lt. J., B.S.C., wg. offr., 11th N. I., granted furlo. (m. c.) 29
Strahan, Surgn.-Maj. A. B., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 4
Strangways, Mr. H. B. T. :—Specfn. of invention filed by— 4
Stratton, Lt. W. C. R., R.A., to be offg. wg. offr., on probn., 3rd infy., Hyderabad contgt. . . 36
Street, Lt.-Col. C. W., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 49

Page

Strettell, Maj. A. D., wg. offr., 2nd Punjab infy., to offe. as wg. comdr., 5th Punjab infy. . . 286
Stroudley, Mr. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by—. 464
Stuart, Maj. W. T., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 502
Subba, Havildar, Mhairwarra battn., promtd. to jemadar 460
Surdival, Transport Sergt. R., comst. dept., to be sub-conductor 488
Sutherland, Surgn.-Maj. G. S., M.D., granted extn. of furlo. 327
Sutherland, Bde.-Surgn. P. W., offg. depy. surgn.-genl., to be a depy. surgn.-genl. 502
Swan, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 371
Swappe, Mr. C., exe. engr., 2nd grade, apptd. to carry on current duties of office of engr. in-chief of Bhopal state ry. 461
Swete, Maj. C. D., B.S.C., wg. comdr., 10th N. I., furlo. out of India 465
Swetenham, Lt.-Col. E., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) 384
Sydney Smith, Maj. R. E., apptd. to p. w. d. as a supy. with rank of exe. engr., 4th grade . . 364
Symons, Mr. K. E., promtd. to offe. as supdt., 4th grade, Indian tel. dept. 353
Szczepanski, Maj. H. C. A., B.S.C.:—Promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 390

T

TALBOT, Capt. A. C., apptd. to hold charge of current duties of office of asst. to govr. genl.'s agent in Rajputana, at Shujangarh, in addn. to his own duties 378
Tanney, Senr. Apothy. E., transfd. to pension estabt., sub-medl. dept. 385
Taylor, Lt. D. J. O., to be offg. wg. offr., 6th Punjab infy., on probn. 372
Taylor, Mr. W.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— . 280
Telegraph Dept.:—Resolution regarding Indian manufactured porous cells for—in India 320; acknowledgment of services rendered to govt. by Col. R. Murray, B.C.S., 323; resolution regarding utilisation of postal agency in operations of—410; revision of rule 12 of genl. rules relating to conduct of all electric tel., &c., 411; revised rules and rates for inland telegrams 445
Telephone:—Observations regarding estabt. of telephonic exchanges and private—lines by the agency of—companies in India 450
Temple, Lt.-Col. E., B.S.C., wg. comdr. and 2nd-in-comd., Meywar Bheel corps, furlo. out of India . 487
Templer, Lt. H., to be squad. offr., 5th Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force 367
Tennant, Maj.-Genl. J. F., R.E., C.I.E., mint mr., Calcutta:—Services of—placed at disp. of mily. department 483
Tennon, Mr. W., apptd. to the B.C.S., Bengal (L.P.). 453
Thakur Singh, Duffadar, 6th Bengal cavy., promtd. to jemadar 466
Thöle, Mr. A.:—Recognition of apptt. of—as actg. consul for the German empire, at Karachi, confirmed 297
Thomas, Capt. C., Agra voltr. rifle corps, to be maj. comdt., Lucknow voltr. rifle corps 389

Page

Thomas, Mr. E. C. G.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 461
Thomas, Mr. S. G.:—Specfns. of inventions filed by— 370, 371
Thompson, Mr. A.:—Specfn. of invention filed by—. 371
Thompson, Mr. A. C. G.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 370, 464
Thompson, Surgn. C., M.B., recd. charge of office of depy. assay mr. of Bombay mint 402
Thompson, Lt. D. M., Royal Irish regt., offg. wg. offr., 32nd N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 367
Thompson, Mr. G. F., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424
Thompson, Mr. G. T., asst. engr., 2nd grade, state rys.:—Services of—placed at disp. of govt. of Madras 444
Thompson, Maj. R. S., B.S.C.:—Extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 423
Thornhill, Lt. J., Derbyshire regt., placed at disp. of govt. of Madras in view to apptt. to S.C. of that presdy. 302
Thuillier, Lt. W., Royal West Surrey regt.:—Admn. to B.S.C. as lt. approved 321
Thul-Chotiali:—Provisions of article 166, Indian articles of war (Act V of 1869), extended to the outpost of— 302
Tickell, Maj. R. P., R.E., apptd. to offe. as supdg. engr., p. w. d., N.-W. P. and Oudh, 304; above notfn. cancelled 444
Tintner, Mr. J.:—Recognition of apptt. of—as actg. vice-consul for Spain at Bombay confirmed . . 401
Toker, Lt.-Col. A. C., B.S.C.:—Services of—replaced at disp. of mily. dept. 427
Toker, Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. A. C., B.S.C., to offe. as 3rd asst. secy. to govt. of India, mily. dept. . 506
Tomkins, Maj. W. P., R.E., apptd. to offe. as supdg. engr. and secy. to agent to govr. genl. for Biluchistan, in p. w. d., in respect of civil works . . 323
Tonnochy, Lt. V. C., B.S.C., wg. offr. and adjt., 4th Sikh infy., furlo. out of India 402
Toohey, Store Sergt. J., to be sub-condr. on probn. 424
Tookey, Sub-Condr. T., on probn., confirmed in present grade 443
Toozs, Mr. R. W. L., asst. engr., 1st grade, Indus valley and Kandahar state rys., apptd. to offe. as an exe. engr., 4th grade 386
Tottenham, Lt.-Col. H. L. A., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . 502
Townsend, Lt. C. C., to be 1st subaltern., No. 4 mountain batty., Punjab frontier force: . . 367
Townsend, Depy. Surgn.-Genl. S. C., local surgn.-genl., Punjab, furlo. out of India . . . 342
Trail, Lt.-Col. D. H., R.E., reverted to exmr., 2nd class, superior accts. estabt., p. w. d. . . . 445
Tranfield, Mr. T., promtd. to 2nd class apothy. . 351
Treasuries:—Resolution regarding best means of obtaining early information regarding monthly receipts and disbursements of civil—in India, in anticipation of audited and final accts. . . 497
Tremenheere, Mr. J. H. A., M.C.S., apptd. to offe. as civil and sessions judge of civil and mily. station of Bangalore 285; services of—replaced at disp. of govt. of Fort St. George . . . 372
Tresham, Mr. D. J., promtd. to senr. apothy. . . 351
Trevelyan, Maj. W. R., B.S.C.:—Retirement of—approved 342; to have hony. rank of lt.-col. . 342

Page

Triscott, Lt. C. P., R.A., 2nd subalturn, No. 2 mountain batty., Punjab frontier force, to be comsy. of ord., 2nd class 502
Trower, Mr. R., promtd. to supdt., 3rd grade, Indian tel. dept. 488
Tulloch, Lt. J. W. G., Royal West Surrey regt., wing. offr., 38th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 457
Tuohy, Surgn. F. J., M.D., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 460
Tuohy, Surgn. J. F.:—Services of—temply. placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh . . 305
Tupp, Mr. A. C., B.C.S., offg. acctt. genl., Bengal:—Priv. leave granted to—318; apptd. to offe. as comptr. genl. and head comr. of paper currency 388; recd. charge of office of acctt. genl., Bengal, 406; made over charge of above 464; recd. charge of office of acctt. genl., N.-W. P. and Oudh, and depy. comr. of paper currency, Allahabad . . 464
Turner, Lt. A. H. P., to be comdt., No. 3 field batty., Hyderabad contgt. 302
Turner, Capt. S. C., R.E., promtd. to exe. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.* 457
Tweedie, Lt.-Col. W., C.S.I., B.S.C., promtd. to col. . 397
Tydeman, Mr. B.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 497
Tyndall, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) H., C. B., B.S.C., permtd. to reside in Europe on certain terms . . . 286

U

Udit Sing, Havildar, 16th N. I., promtd. to jemadar 351
University:—Date of effect of affiliation of Prince of Wales' college, Moratuwa, Colombo, to—of Calcutta up to F. A. standard 331; affiliation of St. Thomas' college, Murree, to—of Calcutta up to F. A. standard authorised 331
Unwin, Maj. W. H., promtd. to lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 502
Upar Singh, Lance Duffadar, 13th Bengal lancers, admtd. to 3rd class of Order of Merit . . . 373
Upper Subordinates, P. W. Dept.:—Resolution on the apptt. of—to fill tempy. engr. ships . . 364
Urbell Singh, Ressaldar, 13th Bengal lancers, to be ressaldar-maj. 488
Urquhart, Lt. W. A., to offe. as comdt., No. 2 field batty., Hyderabad contgt., 302; to be comdt., No. 1 field batty., Hyderabad contgt. 487

V

Vencatachellum, Subadar, Queen's own sappers and miners, Madras, admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title "Bahadur" . . . 390
Ventham, Condr. J., ord. dept., furlo. out of India . 442
Vincent, Mr. C. W.:—Specfn. of invention filed by . 496
Vossion, Monsr. L. P.:—Apptt. of—as vice-consul for France at Rangoon recognised 307
Volunteer Corps:—Formation of "Biluchistan voltr. rifle corps" sanctioned 286; do. of "Calcutta naval arty.—" sanctioned, &c., 391; corps designated "Toungoo voltr. rifles," constituted a company of Rangoon and Irrawaddy state ry. voltr. rifle corps, 466; Akyab voltr. rifle corps constituted a company of Rangoon voltr. rifle corps 466

W

Wace, Maj. E. G., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 286; promn. of—to lt.-col. approved 423
Wakeman, Sergt. A., promtd. to sub-condr. . . 322
Waldron, Lt. H. F. K., East Surrey regt., offg. squad. offr., 3rd Bengal cavy., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 407
Walker, Lt. P. G., Leicestershire regt., wg. offr., 13th N. I., admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation . 362
Walker, Lt.-Col. T. N., B.S.C., permtd. to retire, subject to H. M.'s approval 286; retirement of—approved 403; granted hony. rank of col. on retirement 403
Wall, Mr. S., to be lt., Calcutta voltr. rifle corps . 443
Wallace, Mr. J. A. A., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424; services of—placed at disp. of govt. of Assam 444
Wallace, Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) W. A. J., R.E., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 502
Walling, Mr. H. O., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Bengal 424
Walshe, Depy. Comsy. and Hony. Capt. J., to have hony. rank of maj. on retirement . . . 424
Warburton, Surgn. G. A., Bengal army:—Resignation of—approved. 403
Ward, Capt. A. E., R.E., promtd. permtly. to exe. engr., 2nd grade, mily. works dept. . . . 287
Warden, Lt.-Col. G. L., Bo.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Warora Colliery:—Resolution regarding—and Wardah coal ry. 411
Warren, Lt. E. G. S., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, apptd. a probnr. for the Indian S.C., and placed at disp. of govt. of Madras 286
Waterfield, Maj. H. G., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 343; promn. of — to lt.-col. approved 472
Wathen, Mr. H. A. D., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. to estabt. under govt. of Madras for employment on Nellore-Tirupatis ry. surv. 444
Watson, Bde.-Surgn. G. A., medl. store-keeper, Allahabad, furlo. out of India 472
Watson, Lt. G. H., of 25th Punjab N. I.:—Services of — placed temply. at disp. of govt. of Punjab . 418
Watson, Mr. J.:—Specfn. of invention filed by —371; do. do. 440
Watson, Maj.-Genl. J., C.B., V.C., Bo.S.C., resdt. of 1st class, and agent to govr. genl. at Baroda, granted priv. leave 307; do. do. 356
Watson, Condr. J. W., ord. dept., transfd. to pension establishment 457
Watson, Lt. P. A., Bo.S.C., apptd. to offe. as wg. offr. of Bhopal battn. 406
Watson, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) T. J., B.S.C., comdt., 9th Bengal cavy., furlo. out of India 433

Page

Watson, Bde.-Surgn. W., M.D., to be depy. surgn.-genl. with tempy. rank 384; services of — replaced at disp. of govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh, 469; permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval 503
Watson, Lt. W. A., Worcestershire regt., offg. squad. offr., 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 367
Watts, Capt. J. B., to be squad. comdr., 5th Punjab cavy., Punjab frontier force, 367; promtd. to maj., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval . . . 403
Watts, Lt.-Col. J. G., Bo.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Watts, Maj.-Genl. W. H., Madras infy., to be lt.-genl., 398; transfd. to unemployed supy. list . . 398
Wauchope, Lt.-Col. R. A., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 466
Wavell, Lt.-Col. L., B.S.C., permtd. to retire from the service 373; retirement of — approved 373; granted hony. rank of col. on retirement . . 373
Way, Mr. R. A., exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.* of ry. branch, extn. of furlo. 344; granted a further extn. of furlo. 488
Webster, Maj. H. W., to be lt.-col., B.S.C., subject to H. M.'s approval 321; promn. of — to lt.-col. approved 423
Weightman, Mr. W. J., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to state rys. 424; services of — placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh 444
Weiller, Mr. L.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 496
Weldon, Lt.-Col. T., M.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492
Wells, Lt. (Local Capt.) H. L., R.E., asst. dir., Persian tel. dept., furlo. out of India . . . 362
Western, Vety. Surgn. G., Madras army:—Retirement of — approved 403
Western, Maj. J. H., R.E., temply. promtd. to supdg. engr., class II, 353; reverted to supdg. engr., class III, spl. 492
Westland, Mr. J., B.C.S., comptr. genl. and head comr. of paper currency:—Priv. leave granted to — 388; resumed charge of duties 406; to offe. as secy. to govt. of India in dept. of finance and commerce 454; recd. charge of office of above 464; made over charge of offices of comptr. genl. and head comr. of paper currency 464
Wheeler, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) P., to be col., Bengal army., subject to H. M.'s approval 321; promn. of — to bt. col. approved 390; promn. of — to col. approved 423
White, Lt. F. P. L., B.S.C., extn. of furlo. (p. a.) . 342
White, Col. W. E., M.S.C., transfd. to unemployed supy. list 321
Whittall, Lt. F. V., Leinster regt., to be offg. wg. offr. on probn., 2nd infy., Hyderabad contgt. . 362
Whitwell, Surgn. R. R. H., offg. medl. offr., 12th N. I.:—Services of — temply. placed at disp. of chief comr. of Assam 400
Whyte, Condr. E., ord. dept., transfd. to pension establishment 487
Wiese, Mr. F. W. F., promtd. to supdt., 3rd grade, Indian tel. dept., 353; apptd. to offe. as supdt., 2nd grade, Indian tel. dept. 461
Wilkins, Maj. W. H., B.S.C., promtd. to lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval 492

Page

Wilkinson, The *Hon'ble* C. J., an offg. judge of the high court of judicature at Fort William in Bengal, obtained priv. leave 4
Wilkinson, Mr. M., to be maj., Hyderabad voltr. rifle corps 3
Willans, Maj. T. J., R.E., to offe. as supdg. engr. and secy. to chief comr. of Assam, p. w. d. . . 4
Willcocks, Revd. J. O'F., M.A., apptd. to be chaplain of Kamptee, C. P. 4
Williams, Mr. A. H.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— 4
Williams, Surgn. A. H., M.B., to offe. as medl. storekeeper, Meean Meer 3
Williams, Lt.-Col. B., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Williams, Lt. G. A., asst. mily. acctt., on probn., confirmed in his apptt. 4
Williams, Lt.-Col. J. M., Madras infy. (since retired), promtd. to bt. col. 328; granted hony. rank of maj.-genl. 3
Williams, Mr. J. S., consul for United States of America at Aden:—Date when—resumed charge of his office 3
Williams, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) L. H., B.S.C., comdt., 14th N. I.:—Furlo. out of India 320; extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 4
Williams, Mr. W. A., to be 2nd class apothy. . . 4
Willson, Depy. Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lt. W., to have hony. rank of capt. on retirement . . 3
Wilson, Maj. F. A., to offe. as a resdt. of 2nd class, and posted temply. as resdt. in Nipal . . . 3
Wilson, Surgn. J., M.D., 42nd (Assam) regt., N. I.:—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of govt. of Bengal 3
Wilson, Mr. T. C., apptd. a member of the B.C.S., N.-W. P., Punjab and Oudh 4
Wingate, Lt. G., B.S.C., promtd. to capt., subject to H. M.'s approval 398; promn. of — to capt. approved 4
Wingate, Maj. T. O., B.S.C., granted extn. of furlo. (m. c.) 4
Winn, Mr. J., senr. apothy., transfd. to pension establishment 2
Winter, Lt. F. J., R.A., to be offg. subaltern, No. 1 field batty., Hyderabad contgt. 3
Wintle, Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) H. R., infy., furlo. in India 4
Wiseman, Mr. W., exe. engr., 3rd grade, transfd. to estabt. under dir. genl. of rys. 4
Wood, Lt. C., R.A., to be offg. subaltern, No. 4 field batty., Hyderabad contgt. 3
Wood, Mr. S. G., promtd. sub. *pro tem.*, to depy. exmr., 1st grade, superior accts. estabt., p. w. d., 344; reverted to depy. exmr., 2nd grade . . 4
Woodruffe, Lt.-Col. C. L., B.S.C., promtd. to bt. col., subject to H. M.'s approval 4
Woodtli, Mr. J.:—Apptt. of — as consul for the Netherlands at Aden recognised by govr. genl. in council 285; apptt. of—as consul for Germany at Aden recognised 3
Woollcombe, Mr. R. W., transfd. to state ry. estabt., and his services placed at disp. of dir. genl. of rys. 4
Wrigley, Mr. R.:—Specfn. of invention filed by— . 3
Wright, 2nd Lt. H., from the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders:—Admn. of — to B.S.C. as a lt., approved 4

Page

Wyer, Condr. P., ord. dept. :—Furlo. out of India . 460
Wylie, Mr. G., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to N.-W. P. and Oudh 424
Wyllie, Capt. R. J. H., B.S.C., promtd. to maj., subject to H. M.'s approval 343 ; promn. of—to maj. approved 472
Wyllie, Capt. W. H. C., C.I.E., poll. agent, 3rd class, and 2nd asst. to resdt. at Hyderabad, granted priv. leave 331 ; posted as asst. comr. of Ajmere . 454
Wylly, Mr. E. E., apptd. a sub-asst. consvr. of forests and attd. to Bengal forest dept. . . 365
Wyman, Mr. A. S., promtd. to class IV of state ry. revc. estabt., p. w. d. 303
Wynne, Mr. T. R., asst. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch, p. w. d., granted furlo. 344

Y

Pag

Yate, Capt. C. E., apptd. to hold charge of current duties of office of poll. agent, in Bhopawar . . 39
Young, Depy. Asst. Comsy. G., Bombay estabt., to have hony. rank of lt. 49
Young, Mr. J. M., surgn., Bengal estabt., reptd. his arrival at Bombay 491 ; admn. of—to H. M.'s Indian medl. service approved 50
Younghusband, Lt. G. J., Leicestershire regt., squad. offr. (Queen's Own), corps of guides, admtd. to B.S.C., subject to confirmation 293 ; furlo. out of India 465 ; admn. to B.S.C. as lt. approved . 47

Z

Zunini, Mr. A.:—Recognition of apptt. of—as actg. consul-genl. for Italy at Calcutta, confirmed . 32

GOVERNOR GENERAL'S ORDERS AND NOTIFICATIONS.

Page

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Notice regarding the date of the Viceroy and Governor General's leaving Simla, and arrival at Calcutta 393
Notice regarding Levée and Drawing Room at Government House, Calcutta 399
Programme of His Excellency the Viceroy's arrival in Calcutta 405
Programme for arrival in Calcutta of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught 467
Notice regarding opening of Calcutta International Exhibition by the Viceroy and Governor General . 468

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

No. 15.—Publishes Regulation No. II of 1883—a Regulation to enable certain Police Officers in Assam to exercise certain authority, and to empower the Chief Commissioner to confer on such officers certain Magisterial powers . . . 369
No. 18.—Publishes Statute 46 Vict., Chapter 6—an Act to provide during twelve months for the Discipline and Regulation of the Army . . . 415
No. 19.—Appoints time and place for a meeting of Governor General's Legislative Council . . 468
No. 23.—Publishes certain Statutes for general information 475
No. 24.—Erratum in section 57 (1) of Act XX of 1883 489

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

No. 169.—Notifies the manner in which Rule VIII of section 1 of Rules for the care and use of Government cemeteries has been amended . . 306

EDUCATIONAL.

No. 271.—Notifies date from which affiliation of Prince of Wales' College, Moratuwa, Colombo, to University of Calcutta up to F. A. standard is to take effect 331
No. 276.—Authorises affiliation of St. Thomas' College, Murree, to University of Calcutta, up to F. A. standard 331
No. 334.—Erratum in Notification No. 208 of 1st June 1883 418

EXAMINATIONS.

No. 84.—Publishes Regulations respecting examination of candidates for Civil Service of India to be held in June 1884 427

JUDICIAL.

No. 1135.—Empowers certain officers in British Burma to order or authorise, within limits of their respective Executive jurisdictions, the making of complaints of offences punishable under section 294A. of I. P. Code 345

Page

No. 1264.—Establishes Court of Extra Assistant Commissioner of 3rd class of Pyindaye, and fixes local limits of its jurisdiction 38
No. 1310.—Appoints certain gentlemen to perform functions of Notaries Public 39
No. 1312.—Ditto ditto ditto . 39
No. 1443.—Remits Court-fees leviable on certain documents 43
No. 1515.—Appoints certain person to perform functions of a Notary Public 46
No. 1569.—Appoints certain persons to perform functions of Notaries Public 46
No. 1607.—Directs that the Juvenile Reformatory at Poona shall be deemed to be a Reformatory established by Local Government of Hyderabad Assigned Districts for confinement of persons under 16 years of age 48
No. 1610.—Appoints certain persons to perform functions of Notaries Public 48
No. 1672.—Publishes list of persons appointed Notaries Public in the Punjab 49
No. 1676.—Appoints certain persons in Lower Provinces of Bengal Presidency to perform functions of Notaries Public 49

PUBLIC.

No. 1365.—Makes rule regarding grant of licenses for importation or transport of saltpetre in certain districts when such saltpetre is required for certain purposes 37
No. 1676.—Makes, under section 27 of Indian Arms Act, 1878, certain addition to clause (4) of exemptions made in Notification No. 518 of 6th March 1879 45
No. 1690.—Directs that the Council of His Excellency the Governor General shall assemble at Calcutta 459, 46
No. 1722.—Notifies time, place, &c., of examination prescribed for filling up of vacancies in clerical establishments of Secretariat Offices of Government of India, and Departments directly attached thereto 46
No. 1812.—Notifies that Deputy Commissioners of Salt Revenue, Madras Presidency, will take rank in 3rd class of the supplementary graded list of civil officers not reserved for Members of Covenanted Civil Service 49

SANITARY.

No. 226.—Publishes Quarantine Regulations and Rules applicable to the pilgrimage of 1883 and 1884, received from Her Majesty's Consuls at Jeddah and Alexandria 30

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

No. 1883 *I.*—Appoints certain officer to be a Justice of the Peace within territories of the Nawab of Rampur 28

Page

No. 2096 *I.*—Extends certain enactments to those lands of Sindia State Railway which lie within territories of His Highness the Maharaja Sindia and His Highness the Maharaj Rana of Dholpur, and invests certain officers with powers to administer the same enactments 307

No. 2252.—Declares that certain Acts apply to a certain extent and subject to certain modifications to Civil and Military Station of Bangalore . . 332

No. 2311 *I.*—Appoints officer holding office of Cantonment Magistrate of Mhow, being a European British subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within limits of that Cantonment 346

No. 2313 *I.*—Appoints officer for time being holding office of 2nd Assistant to Agent to Governor General for Central India, being a European British subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within limits of territories of Princes and Chiefs in relation with the Central India Agency . . . 346

No. 2541 *I.*—Directs that the Kathiawar Political Agency Courts shall exercise jurisdiction in the case of all Civil suits against His Highness the Thakur Saheb of Bhavnagar and Administrators of the Gondal State as proprietors of the Bhavnagar-Gondal Railway 371

No. 2760 *I.*—Appoints certain officers to be Justices of the Peace within territories of Native Chiefs included in Central India Agency . . . 387

No. 2761 *I.*—Appoints certain officers to be Justices of the Peace within territories of Native Chiefs included in the Rajputana Agency . . . 387

No. 2854 *I.*—Notifies extension of laws and jurisdiction to certain piece of land situated in Bhawalpore territory and required for head-works of Bhawalwah-Lodran Canal 396

No. 3495 *I.*—Extends Cantonments Act, 1880, with certain modifications, to Cantonment of Deesa . 460

No. 3792 *I.*—Vests the administration of the Police in Cantonment of Baroda in officer holding for time being appointment of Cantonment Magistrate at Baroda 497

No. 2833 *I.*—Extends Act XII of 1850 to Scheduled Districts of the Punjab 505

MILITARY.

No. 1743 *G.*—Erratum in Notification No. 1363G. of 9th May 1883 285

POLITICAL.

No. 1723 *G.*—Amended rules for admission to, and retention of appointments in, the Political Department 281

No. 1724.—Order regarding publication, &c., of the amended rules for admission to, and retention of appointments in, the Political Department . . 284

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

No. 1659.—Addendum to Codes of Financial Department 471

No. 1673.—Exempts certain debentures of Calcutta Municipality from stamp-duty on issue, renewal, or sub-division 471

Page

No. 1721.—Addenda and Corrigenda to Codes of Financial Department 483

No. 1751.—Publishes Resolution regarding Calcutta and Bombay Mints 483

No. 1826.—Addendum to Codes of Financial Department 285

No. 1926.—Cancels certain Notification and substitutes other Notification regarding the precautions which should be taken to prevent the importation of impure explosives into British India . . 285

No. 1931.—Imposes certain duty on salt manufactured in the mines in the district of Kohat . . 285

No. 2050.—Notice regarding four per cent. loan of two hundred and fifty lakhs of rupees 290; ditto ditto 298

No. 2238.—Resolution, &c., regarding alteration in the form of accounts and estimates which accompany the annual Financial Statement . . . 308

No. 2286.—Despatch from Secretary of State for India and Order in Council regarding dues payable in respect of Great Basses and Little Basses and Minicoy Lighthouses 318

No. 2313.—Resolution regarding Indian manufactured porous cells for Telegraph Department in India 320

No. 2543.—Directs that in future all notifications and applications on part of subscribers to, or beneficiaries under, Provident Branch of Bombay Civil Fund, shall be given and made to Comptroller of Indian Treasuries, Calcutta, and that applications for advances under rules of the Fund shall continue to be made to Accountant General, Bombay 339

No. 2599.—Resolution regarding Stock Notes. . 339

No. 2644.—Addenda and Corrigenda to Codes of Financial Department 346

No. 2748.—Rules for raising loans by Local Authorities in the open market 346

No. 2757.— Ditto ditto . . 346

No. 2788.—Resolution on supply of cheap salt for cattle in a way compatible with the safety of the salt revenue 356

No. 2796.—Remits stamp-duty payable on receipts given by or on behalf of depositors in District Savings Banks for sums of money withdrawn from such Banks 357

No. 2870.—Publishes Proceedings at the fourth meeting of Commissioners for reduction of debt, held at Office of Comptroller General on 12th July 1883 357

No. 2877.—Makes rules for fairways leading to ports of False Point, Balasore, and Chittagong . 362

No. 2961.—Addendum to Codes of Financial Department 366

No. 3273.—Gives notice regarding discharge of certain original Promissory Notes . . . 379

No. 3274.—Republishes lists of Government Promissory Notes which were advertised for discharge 379

No. 3290.—Directs certain alterations to be made in certain schedules of medicines and medical appliances referred to in Rule II of Rules made under provisions of section 46 of Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876 388

No. 3420.—Addendum to Codes of Financial Department 389

Page

No. 3470.—Makes rule prohibiting placing of fishing stakes in fairway leading to Port of Bombay 397
No. 3546.—Remits certain Court-fees . . . 397
No. 3642.—Remits stamp-duty payable on receipts given by or on behalf of depositors in Presidency Savings Banks and State Railway Savings Banks for sums of money withdrawn from such Banks . 402
No. 3887.—Notifies reduction of stamp-duty on certain Power-of-Attorney 418
No. 3894.—Account of Municipalities for 1881-82 . 419
No. 3897.—Addendum to Codes of Financial Department 423
No. 3945.—Exempts certain methylated ether from importation duty 434
No. 3993.—Addenda and Corrigenda to Codes of Financial Department 434
No. 4050.—Exempts certain debentures of Calcutta Port Commissioners from payment of further stamp-duty 441
No. 4100.—Order regarding report on pyx coins of Calcutta and Bombay Mints issued in 1882 . . 441
No. 4133.—Corrigendum to Codes of Financial Department 442
No. 4265.—Addenda and Corrigenda to Codes of Financial Department 455
No. 1773.—Extends Act I (B. C.) of 1883, with certain exception, to Chief Commissionership of Assam 486
No. 1995.—Authorises transmission by letter post of inland and foreign reply post-cards . . . 497
No. 1937.—Resolution regarding best means of obtaining early information regarding monthly receipts and disbursements at civil treasuries in India, in anticipation of audited and final accounts 497

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 394.—Sanctions formation of "Biluchistan Volunteer Rifle Corps" 286
No. 405.—Corrects the spelling of surname of an officer 294
No. 417.—Extends provision of article 166, Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869), to outposts of Thul Chotiali, Sharigh, and Sibi . . 302
No 473.—Notifies that certain arrangements with respect to numbers of Colonel's allowances to be allotted to certain classes will take effect . . . 366
No. 488.—Sets apart certain buildings or parts of buildings at certain stations as part of Military prisons at those stations 373
No. 513.—Publishes Military letter regarding appointment of Major-General His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, K.G., to the command of a Division in Bengal Presidency . . . 389
No. 524.—Sanctions formation of "Calcutta Naval Artillery Volunteer Corps" 391
No. 613.—Expunges paragraph 2 of G. G. O. No. 1220 of 1878, and substitutes other words for it . 466
No. 614.—Constitutes the "Toungoo Volunteer Rifles" to be a company of Rangoon and Irrawaddy State Railway Volunteer Rifles Corps . . 466
No. 615.—Constitutes the Akyab Volunteer Rifle Corps to be a company of Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps 466

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Page

No. 42.—Directs how Officers of Indian Marine shall be graded with seniority 4
No. 43.—States how Officers of Indian Marine will be graded in Table of Precedence 4
No. 44.—Mentions certain Port appointments which are to be filled by Officers of Indian Marine . . 4
No. 45.—Directs how Military Guards for services as Marines on board Indian Government vessels will be detailed 4
No. 46.—Directs what colors all vessels of Indian Marine will wear 4
No. 47.—Directs how Officers of Indian Marine Survey shall be graded 4

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 172.—Notices the inadvertent omission of name of certain officer in mention of those who took part in construction, &c., of Attock bridge over the Indus, and gives complete list of Engineers employed on survey and construction of Punjab Northern State Railway from commencement . 3
No. 1120*G*.—Resolution regarding formation of a committee to consider certain proposals for the reorganisation of the Public Works Department . 3
No. 1194*G*.—Observations and Resolution relative to the Amalgamation of the Consulting and Deputy Consulting Engineers of Madras and Bombay with the establishment of the Railway Branch under Government of India 3
No. 47*C*. and *I*.—Resolution on Warora Colliery and Wardah Coal Railway 4
No. 250.—Publishes Statement showing operation of Irrigation Works in India for 1882-83 . . 4

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

No. 105*T. E.*—Acknowledges services rendered to Government by Colonel R. Murray, Bengal Staff Corps, Director General of Telegraphs in India . 3
No. 227.—Resolution regarding utilisation of Postal Agency in operations of Telegraph Department . 4
No. 228.—Prescribes revision of Rule 12 of "General Rules relating to conduct of all Electric Telegraphs licensed to transmit paid messages for the Public" 4
No. 265.—Publishes Revised Rules and Rates for Inland Telegrams 4
No. 303*T*.—Observations regarding establishment of Telephonic exchanges and private Telephone lines by the agency of Telephone Companies in India 4

SPECIFICATIONS OF INVENTIONS.

No. 142 of 1882.—Mr. P. J. Van Maanen, for a new method of drying coffee, sugar, megass, indigo, cacao, coprah, and other produce at a low temperature by the circulating properties of heated air . 4
No. 156 of 1882.—Mr. D. S. Kemp, for filling medicine and other bottles with powder or other suitable solid material 2

Page

No. 161 of 1882.—Mr. R. Olpherts, for improvements in obtaining colouring matters from the indigo plant 279

No. 171 of 1882.—Mr. G. L. Molesworth, for an improved railway sleeper 325

No. 172 of 1882.—Mr. E. J. Mallet, Junior, for improvements in, and connected with, boiler and other furnaces 325

No. 181 of 1882.—Mr. P. P. F. Michea, for the complete utilisation of split-up indican and its derivatives, and also other indigo-producing compounds in the plant for the formation of indigo blue in the presence of ammonia and other alkalies and oxygen 325

No. 183 of 1882.—Mr. W. D'Santos, for the octonary dhekkeys, and the gundary mill combined . 370

No. 185 of 1882.—Mr. A. Cooper, for improvements in the treatment of iron or steel ingots . . . 279

No. 188 of 1882.—Mr. D. D. Coath, for improvements in machinery for preparing, cleaning, and whitening rice 496

No. 2 of 1883.—Mr. R. J. Gülchar, for improvements in magneto and dynamo-electric machines . 325

No. 4 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements in means for indicating and regulating the current of electrical generators for supplying electric lights and other purposes 280

No. 5 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements in means for regulating the generative capacity of dynamo or magneto-electric machines . . . 280

No. 6 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements relating to dynamo or magneto-electric machines for regulating the generative capacity of such machines 280

No. 7 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements relating to dynamo or magneto-electric machines for regulating the generative capacity of such machines 280

No. 8 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements in electrical generators and engines, and apparatus or means for regulating generators of electricity . 280

No. 11 of 1883.—Mr. G. W. D. Scott, for improvements in tea leaf rolling machines . . . 370

No. 12 of 1883.—Mr. G. Hawkes, for improvements in apparatus for electric lighting 370

No. 15 of 1883.—Mr. S. Steers, for certain improvements in cotton compressors 326

No. 18 of 1883.—Mr. E. C. Schrottky, for the improvement of indigo manufacture . . . 370

No. 20 of 1883.—Mr. A. C. G. Thompson, for withering, drying, and fermenting tea leaf or other substances materially facilitating such several processes, and reducing the amount of space and accommodation hitherto inseparable from such requirements 370

No. 21 of 1883.—Mr. C. F. Findlay, for improvements in rope traction railways or tramways . 280

No. 22 of 1883.—Messrs. F. Morris and J. Patterson, for improvements in amalgamating and settling apparatus 280

No. 26 of 1883.—Mr. S. G. Thomas, for improvements in the manufacture of basic furnaces and converter linings, and in the apparatus used in the preparation thereof 370

No. 27 of 1883.—Mr. S. G. Thomas, for improvements in railway permanent-way 371

Page

No. 29 of 1883.—Mr. E. J. Mallett, Junior, for improvements in, and connected with, boiler and other furnaces 326

No. 31 of 1883.—Mr. G. Dubern, for a cold storer and preserver 400

No. 38 of 1883.—Mr. A. C. Rogers, for improvements to Messrs. Death and Ellwood's patent post sugar mills 280

No. 42 of 1883.—Mr. H. C. Smith, for improvements in the treatment of fibre-bearing leaves and plants for the separation of the fibres therefrom, and for the washing, drying, bleaching of the same, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein 400

No. 45 of 1883.—Messrs. E. T. Sealy and C. Still, for an improved dehattea plough 326

No. 48 of 1883.—Mr. R. Wrigley, for an improved three-roller double-feed vertical cane mill . . 326

No. 49 of 1883.—Mr. A. Butler, for improvements in the construction of drills for sowing seed . . 496

No. 54 of 1883.—Mr. F. I. Scard, for improvements in the process of fermenting liquids . . . 401

No. 55 of 1883.—Messrs. J. S. Beeman, W. Taylor, and F. King, for new apparatus for regulating and measuring electric currents 280

No. 56 of 1883.—Messrs. W. Taylor and F. King, for improvements in secondary batteries . . 280

No. 57 of 1883.—Messrs. J. S. Beeman, W. Taylor, and F. King, for improvements in electric secondary or storage batteries 280

No. 61 of 1883.—Messrs. H. Egells and W. A. Kux, for improvements in compound pumps for air and vapour 371

No. 63 of 1883.—Mr. G. Fry, for improvements in the extraction of saccharine matter from vegetable substances 401

No. 64 of 1883.—The Gülcher Electric Light and Power Company, Ld., for improvements in electric lamps 464

No. 65 of 1883.—Mr. H. Egells, for improvements in apparatus for cooling and refrigerating liquids 401

No 66 of 1883.—Mr. A. R. Leask, for improvements in the method or process of manufacturing incandescent lamps and in tools or apparatus therefor 326

No. 67 of 1883.—Messrs. H. Herrenschmidt and M. Constable, for an improved process of extracting the oxides of cobalt and manganese from their ores 280

No. 68 of 1883.—Mr. A. C. Engert, for improvements in steam boilers and furnaces . . . 280

No. 69 of 1883.—Mr. H. H. Remfry, for improvements in mechanism used for transporting goods and passengers by the aid of electricity. . . 280

No. 71 of 1883.—Mr. J. B. Hannay, for improvements in applying zinc for preventing corrosion in steam boilers 280

No. 72 of 1883.—Mr. H. Defries, for improvements in railway carriage roof lamps 326

No. 73 of 1883.—Mr. J. A. Fleming, for improvements in the preparation or production of insulating materials or articles 280

No. 74 of 1883.—Mr. E. F. MacGeorge, for an improved clinometer compass and an improved apparatus for reading its indications . . . 326

Page

No. 75 of 1883.—Mr. J. M. Blackman, for improvements in ventilating and exhaust fans, and in the application thereof for drying malt and other materials 439

No. 77 of 1883.—Mr. J. P. D'Aragon, for improvements in the construction and arrangement of ventilating apparatus for railway cars and other vehicles 464

No. 78 of 1883.—Messrs. D. G. FitzGerald and T. J. Jones, for improvements in secondary or storage batteries 280

No. 79 of 1883.—Mr. R. Hudson, for improvements in metallic and other wagons 326

No. 80 of 1883.—Mr. H. Crot, for an improvement in condensing grape juice or must . . . 371

No. 81 of 1883.—Mr. G. F. Campbell, for rolling tea leaf 464

No. 82 of 1883.—Messrs. J. W. Jahn, G. A. Schulze, S. G. T. Jahn, and J. W. G. Jahn, for improvements in the manufacture of cloth having sides of different colours 326

No. 84 of 1883.—Messrs. W. B. F. Elphinstone, B. Elphinstone, and C. W. Vincent, for improvements in dynamo-electric machines 496

No. 85 of 1883.—Mr. H. B. T. Strangways, for improvements in telephones 464

No. 86 of 1883.—Messrs. W. Bushell and W. T. Haydon, for improvements in machinery or presses for expressing oil from seed and in the manufacture of oil-cakes therefrom 280

No. 87 of 1883.—Mr. P. R. Allen, for improvements in apparatus for lighting, heating, and communicating by electricity applicable in part to other purposes 326

No. 89 of 1883.—Mr. O. Rose, for improvements in heating by electricity, and in apparatus therefor . 496

No. 91 of 1883.—Mr. W. Fischer, for improvements in pianofortes 401

No. 92 of 1883.—Mr. J. Watson, for improvements in baling presses 371

No. 93 of 1883.—Mr. F. Jacob, for improvements in the arrangement and application of electrical conductors 401

No. 96 of 1883.—Mr. F. Jenkin, for improvements relating to mechanism for transporting goods and passengers by the aid of electricity and the regulation of the speed of machinery driven by electricity 326

No. 97 of 1883.—Mr. A. Pifre, for improvements in, and pertaining to, apparatus for utilising solar heat 371

No. 98 of 1883.—Mr. P. Armington, for improvements in steam engines 371

No. 99 of 1883.—Mr. J. A. Graham, for improvements in the method of treating certain vegetable fibrous substances for the production of fibres for spinning, paper-making, and other purposes . 496

No. 100 of 1883.—Mr. W. H. Carmont, for improvements in the manufacture of grooved tyres for wheels and in the fastening of India-rubber or other yielding material therein 371

No. 101 of 1883.—Mr. J. A. Graham, for improvements in coating or covering iron with lead . . 371

No. 104 of 1883.—Mr. J. Howden, for improvements in means and apparatus for supplying air to the furnaces of marine and other steam boilers, and increasing the rapidity and efficiency of combustion therein for diminishing waste of heat and for preventing the over-heating of stoke holds . . 464

Pa

No. 105 of 1883.—Mr. A. Swan, for improvements in the manufacture or construction of incandescent electric lamps and in machinery or apparatus to be employed therein 3

No. 106 of 1883.—Prankissen Mookerjee, for a rope-making machine 4

No. 107 of 1883.—Mr. D. L. Davis, for improvements in cane mills 4

No. 110 of 1883.—Mr. J. B. Hamilton, for improvements in organs, harmoniums, or like reed key instruments 3

No. 112 of 1883.—Mr. E. C. G. Thomas, for improvements in breakwaters 4

No. 113 of 1883.—Messrs. E. Jenkins, A. Law, and W. Price, for an improved process of annealing chilled and other iron castings 3

No. 115 of 1883.—Messrs. P. J. Stollwerck, H. Stollwerck, and L. Stollwerck, for an improvement in the manufacture of effervescent sugar . 4

No. 116 of 1883.—Messrs. W. E. Ayrton and J. Perry, for an electrical haulage system and apparatus connected therewith 3

No. 117 of 1883.—Basel Mission Tile-works in India, for the manufacture upon new principles of Mangalore tiles 4

No. 118 of 1883.—Mr. P. V. Gelder, for improvements in, and relating to, machinery applicable for separating one kind of grain or seed from another . 4

No. 119 of 1883.— Ditto ditto . . . 4

No. 120 of 1883.—Mr. A. Kraemer, for an improved process of, and apparatus for, separating and preparing animal and vegetable fibres . . . 4

No. 121 of 1883.—Messrs. S. Z. de Ferranti and A. Thompson, for improvements in dynamo-electric machines, or electric generators . . . 3

No. 122 of 1883.—Messrs. J. Oliphant and E. B. Burr, for improvements in galvano-electric batteries 4

No. 124 of 1883.—Mr. J. Watson, for improvements in baling presses 4

No. 125 of 1883.—Mr. A. C. G. Thompson, for improvements in machinery or apparatus for rolling and twisting tea leaves 4

No. 127 of 1883.—Messrs. J. F. C. Farquhar and W. Oldham, for improvements in filtering apparatus 4

No. 132 of 1883.—Mr. L. Weller, for improvements in the manufacture of silicious copper and silicious bronze, and the preparation of certain compounds suitable to be employed in such manufacture . 4

No. 133 of 1883.—Mr. A. H. Williams, for improved constructions of pontoons or air vessels for use in the formation of military bridges, for raising sunken vessels, and for use in saving life and property at sea 4

No. 135 of 1883.—Messrs. L. Gaulard and J. D. Gibbs, for a new system of distributing electricity for the production of light and power . . . 4

No. 139 of 1883.—Mr. H. H. Remfry, for improvements in the method of, and means and apparatus for, effectually deodorising and purifying human excreta and rendering same valuable for manurial and fertilising purposes 4

No. 140 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements in, or relating to, incandescing electric lamps 4

Page

No. 141 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements relating to the distribution of electrical energy for light power and other purposes . 440

No. 142 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements in electrical generators and motors . 440

No. 143 of 1883.—Mr. T. A. Edison, for improvements in incandescing conductors for electric lamps, and in moulds for the carbonisation of the same . 464

No. 146 of 1883.—Mr. A. W. Rose, for improvements in telephones 440

No. 147 of 1883.—Mr. V. Müller, for the Borelli sifter 496

No. 149 of 1883.—Mr. M. P. Lazer, for lifting water named "Fire Pump" 464

No. 152 of 1883.—Mr. J. H. Floyd, for an improved cement 464

No. 153 of 1883.—Mr. J. R. Dry, for an improvement in the preparatory treatment of flax and other like straws and fibrous material . . . 440

No. 154 of 1883.—Mr. J. R. Dry, for improved means and apparatus for boiling seed, separating straw, breaking, and scutching flax and other like fibrous bodies 440

No. 158 of 1883.—Mr. J. A. Gibbons, for an improvement in the treatment or preparation of tea leaf in the green state 464

No. 159 of 1883.—Mr. J. Clark, for improvements in reducing metals from their ores or chemical compounds and in apparatus employed therefor . 464

No. 162 of 1883.—Mr. J. C. Kinmond, for improvements in, or applicable to, machinery or apparatus for drying or withering tea leaf 440

No. 163 of 1883.— Ditto ditto .. 440

Page

No. 164 of 1883.—Messrs. A. Cornwell and M. Egan, for an improved process of manufacturing artificial stone 496

No. 166 of 1883.—Messrs. L. J. Crossley, J. F. Harrison and W. Emmott, for improvements in electric signalling apparatus, applicable also to other purposes 49

No. 167 of 1883.—Messrs. W. Stroudley and E. J. Houghton, for improvements in the means and apparatus for electric lighting on railway trains or other vehicles; also partly applicable for the production and distribution of electric currents generally 46

No. 182 of 1883.—Mr. J. W. Post, for improvements in sewing machines 49

No. 185 of 1883.—Messrs. R. W. Palmer, R. Randall, and W. Hely, for improvements in means for raising, supporting, and lowering the hoods or coverings of carriages 49

No. 186 of 1883.—Mr. C. L. Riker, for improvements in combined boiler and steam vacuum pumps, and in the regulation of the boiler feed, and of the water level therein 49

No. 190 of 1883.—Mr. B. Tydeman, for improvements in apparatus for bulking or mixing tea, and for weighing and refilling tea into chests or boxes 49

No. 489.—Extension of term of exclusive privilege granted to Mr. R. Johnson, in respect of his invention for the improvement of thermantidotes, authorised 49

INDEX TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

PART II.

Page

A

ABDOOL HUSAIN SAHIB, re-apptd. to be municipal comr. for civil and mily. station of Bangalore, and to serve for No. 3 Arab lines divn. . . 373

Abdool Kadir, 1st class hospl. asst., Abu dispensary, transfd. for duty to Rajputana-Malwa ry. . . 448

Abdool Koodoos Sahib, re-apptd. to be municipal comr. for civil and mily. station of Bangalore, and to serve for No. 4 Genl. Bazar divn. . . 373

Abdool Rahim, 2nd class hospl. asst., reserve list, transfd. to and took charge of Banswara dispensary 372

Abdool Wahab, 2nd class hospl asst., attd. to dispensary at Pertabgarh, granted priv. leave of absence 448; retnd. from priv. leave and reassumed charge of the Pertabgarh dispensary . . . 604

Abdool Wahib, 2nd class hospl. asst, reverted to reserve list, transfd. to hospl. of Northern India salt reve. at Didwana, and assumed charge thereof . 372

Abdoollah Khan, 3rd class hospl. asst., attd. to hospl. of Ajmir jail, passed his professional exmn. (without English) for promn. to 2nd class . . . 604

Accountant-Genl.'s Office, P. W. Dept.:—Statement of monthly accts. of several branches of p. w. d. recd. in—388, 451, 499, 557, 617 . . . 667

Ajmir-Merwara:—Rules regarding stamps to be used to denote certain fees 372; possession of opium restricted in certain areas 408; rules relative to taxation in Nasirabad cantt. 449; supdt., Rajputana-Malwa ry. police, empowered to pass sentences of whipping 486; addn. to rule II of certain forest bye-laws sanctioned 497; judges of court of small causes at Ajmir and Beawar invested with powers conferred on a dist. court by certain secs. of C. P. Code 545; order regarding refund of value of adhesive stamps in cash in certain cases 616

Alleemooddeen, 1st class hospl. asst., reserve list, transfd. to Western Rajputana states agency . . 448

Alves, Maj. M. A., R.E., exe. engr., 1st grade, transfd. to Sirhind and Lahore comd., mily. works . . 643

Andrew, Maj. D. C., depy. supdt., surv. of India, granted priv. leave 473

Appiah, Mr. K. M., L.M.S., apptd. local asst. surgn. in Coorg 616

Ashton, Mr. F., assumed charge of Sambhar divn., [illegible]

Page

Asiatic Society of Bengal:—List of books for sale at the library of—379, 423, 480, 549, 595 . . 646

Atlay, Venble B. T., M.A., apptd. archdeacon in the archdeaconry and diocese of Calcutta 642; resumed charge of chaplaincy of genl. hospl. . 676

Aupoorbo Krishna Das, 3rd grade asst. surgn., supy. list:—Services of—placed at disp. of chief comr., C. P., for employment in Nagpur and Chhattisgarh state ry. 460

B

BANK OF BENGAL:—Apptt. of agent at Bombay 397; statement of affairs of—for week ending 17th July 1883, 398; 24th July 409; 31st July 419; 7th Aug. 436; 14th Aug. 450; 21st Aug. 465; 28th Aug. 478; 4th Sept. 488; 11th Sept. 500; 18th Sept. 509; 25th Sept. 530; 2nd Oct. 542; 19th Oct. 581; 23rd Oct. 581; 29th Oct. 593; 6th Nov. 607; 13th Nov. 618; 20th Nov. 632; 27th Nov. 643; 4th Dec. 657; 11th Dec. 668; 18th Dec. 679; notice of annual genl. meeting of proprietors and shareholders of—407; proceedings at the annual genl. meeting of proprietors and shareholders of the — 443; changes in estabt. of—417, 603, 654; notice regarding closing of transfer books of— 675

Banka Vihari Mitra, M.B., Babu, asst. surgn., Beawar, granted priv. leave 616; availed himself of priv. leave 688

Barkeley, Mr. E. F., apptd. asst. survr., 3rd grade . 486

Barker, Mr. J. P., apptd. asst. survr., 3rd grade, surv. of India dept. 665

Bartlett, Mr. T. W., exe. engr., 3rd grade, granted extn. of furlo. 680

Baylay, Lt.-Col. C. A., will hold charge of current duties of Harowtee and Tonk agency office, in addn. to his own, 566; delivered over charge of above agency 642

Bell, Lt. J. A., offg. adjt., Deoli irr. force, granted priv. leave 434; availed himself of priv. leave 476; retnd. to duty 591

Bengal Secretariat Press:—Publications for sale at the—382, 394, 404, 414, 426, 440, 456, 470, 482,

Page

Benson, Surgn. P. H., M.B., resdy. surgn., Mysore, retnd. to duty 477; delivered over charge of his office 556; apptd. chemical exmr. for civil and mily. station of Bangalore with certain exception 576
Berkeley, Mr. L. F., to be asst. survr., 2nd grade . 676
Bevan, Mr. J. F., supdt., 3rd grade, tel. dept., allowed furlough 460
Bidandra Mandanna, subedar, Kiggatnag talook, granted priv. leave 386
Biddulph, Maj. J., poll. agent, Bhopawar, granted priv. leave 497
Bignell, Capt. E. D. F., adjt., Malwa Bheel corps, granted priv. leave 398
Bignell, Mr. R., recd. charge of office of dist. supdt. of police, Ajmere, 418; unexpired portion of priv. leave granted to — cancelled 418
Bond, Mr. J., to offe. as survr., 4th grade, 486; to revert to his substantive post of asst. survr., 1st grade, 642; to offe. as survr., 4th grade, 642; to offe. as survr., 4th grade 676
Bonnerjee, Babu Grees Chunder, to offe. as private secy. and clerk to chief justice, high court, Calcutta 627
Bowyer, Lt. W. G., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, posted to head-qrs. staff of inspr. genl., mily. works 591
Bride, Mr. A. B., sub-registrar, civil and mily. station, Bangalore, granted priv. leave . . . 373
Brojo Nauth Chowdhry, 3rd grade asst. surgn., supy. list:—Services of — placed at disp. of chief comr., Assam 371
Browne, Lt. C. A. R., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. to Beluchistan agency 632; posted to and joined Bolan road divn. 666
Browne, Col. J., R.E., C.B., C.S.I., posted as supdg. engr., Hurnai road comd. 616
Bruce, Capt. A. C., R.E., exe. engr., 4th grade, posted to Meerut comd., mily. works 632
Bryson, Mr. A., promtd. to asst. survr., 2nd grade . 641
Burn-Murdoch, Lt. J., R.E., exe. engr., 4th grade (tempy. rank), posted to Punjab northern state ry. 519

C

CALCUTTA GAZETTE:—Notice regarding—406, 416, 428, 442, 458, 472, 484, 494, 506, 526, 538, 554, 564, 574, 590, 602, 614, 626, 640, 652, 664, 674, 686 696
Caldecott, Surgn.-Maj. R., in medl. charge of 2nd C. I. Horse and Goona poll. agency, granted priv. leave 575
Calrow, Capt. R., R.E., exe. engr., 4th grade, granted leave 477
Campbell, Mr. D., asst. survr., 3rd grade, granted priv. leave 591; promtd. to asst. survr., 2nd grade, 642; to be asst. survr., 2nd grade 676
Campbell, Mr. R. P., re-apptd. to be municipal comr. for civil and mily. station of Bangalore and to serve for No. 1 Ulsoor divn. 373
Cardew, Mr. C. E., of loco. dept., class III, reve. scale, posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 398; granted furlo. to Europe on m. c. 466
Cemetery:—Notice to repair certain tomb . . . 466
Chepudrja Thimmaya, subedar, Yelusavirashime taluk, Coorg, granted priv. leave . . . . . [illegible]
Chesney, Lt. H. F., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, passed certain exmn. prescribed in d. p. w. code 373
Cheyakapuvana Devaya, subedar, Nanjarajpatna taluk, Coorg, granted priv. leave 566
Chinnathumbi Moodaliar, to act as sub-registrar, civil and mily. station of Bangalore 373
Chunda Singh, passed medl. pupil, mily. estabt:—Services of — placed temply. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., Rajputana, for civil employment, 575; to receive pay as 3rd class hospl. asst. during employment as above 576; placed on reserve list, civil hospl. asst. estabt. 576
Cinchona Febrifuge:—Notice regarding govt.—378, 390, 401, 410, 422, 437, 453, 467, 479, 489, 502, 521, 533, 547, 559, 568, 584, 594, 609, 620, 634, 645, 658, 669, 681 690
Clay, Col. C. H., comdt., Deoli irr. force, retnd. to duty 448; recd. charge of office of cantt. magte., Deoli 460
Comptroller Genl.'s Office:—Account of reve. and expenditure of govt. of India for 10 months of 1882-83 as compared with corresponding period of 1881-82, 375; for 11 months of do. as compared with do. 474; for 1st month of 1883-84 as compared with corresponding period of 1882-83, 510; for 1st two months of do. as do. 578; for first 3 months of do. 630; telegraphic statement of receipts and outgoings from treasuries during June 1883, 387; July 435; Aug. 498; Sept. 577, Oct. 605; summary of accts. for 3 months ending June 1883, 387; for 4 months ending July 435; for 5 months ending Aug. 498; for 6 months ending Sept. 577; for 7 months ending October 605
Connor, Mr. J., to offe. as survr., 4th grade, but to continue in seconded list 485; confirmed as survr., 4th grade 676
Conolly, Lt.-Col. A., recd. charge of office of poll. supdt., hilly tracts, Meywar 654
Coorg —Inspr. of schools in—apptd. an *ex-officio* member of Mercara and Verajendrapet municipal comttee 386; certain Parpattegars in province of—apptd. magtes. of 3rd. class, and vested with certain powers conferred by certain secs. of C. P. Code 419; proclamation regarding transfer of rights and property in certain lands sold for recovery of arrears of reve. 419; ditto ditto 450; ditto ditto 628; ditto ditto 677; rule directing endorsements to be made on certain warrants 566; revised rules prescribing use of adhesive and impressed stamps for denoting court-fees 604; vaccination rules for municipality of Mercara 654; declaration regarding land required for a public purpose by the Mercara municipality . . . 677
Cornish, Lt. W. H., offg. wg. offr., Meywar Bheel corps, retnd. from exmn. leave and assumed charge of the adjutancy in addn. to his own duties 386; retnd. to duty 418
Court-fees:—Notfn. regarding issue of certain impressed stamps in exchange for unused adhesive

Page

Coxen, Mr. J. T. U., survr., 4th grade :—Unexpired portion of furlo. granted to—cancelled . . 641
Cresswell, Mr. P. H., asst. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, granted furlo. on m. c. 655
Currency Notes stated to have been lost :—Allahabad circle 400, 436, 452, 488, 547, 568, 618, 644, 679; Bombay circle 389, 400, 409, 488, 556, 657, 689; British Burma 618; Calicut 618; Calcutta circle 377, 389, 400, 409, 421, 436, 452, 465, 478, 488, 500, 520, 532, 547, 568, 581, 592, 607, 618, 632, 644, 657, 668, 679, 689; Lahore circle 377, 389, 400, 409, 465, 500, 532, 619, 668, 689; Madras circle 377, 421, 452, 466, 520, 556, 607, 619, 644, 658, 679 690
Custom-house :—Rules regarding goods for Calcutta international exhibition, 1883-84 544

D

Dane, Mr. R. M., C.S, spl. boundary sett. offr., Indore, granted priv. leave 527; above leave terminated and Mr.—proceeded to Calcutta to be examd. 615; joining time granted to— . . 615
Davis, Mr. C. T., chief clerk, high court., Fort William, Bengal, granted extn. of leave . . 496
DeBrath, Mr. S., asst. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, Rajputana-Malwa state ry., passed deptl. standard examination 477
Deserters :—Reports of—389, 398, 410, 418, 434, 449, 500, 546, 567, 582, 592, 619, 633, 655, 680 . . 689
Dickie, Lt. J. E., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, offtd. as exe. engr., Agra divn., mily. works . . . 677
Dickinson, Mr. F. B., depy. consvr. of forests, Coorg, granted priv. leave of absence 408; availed himself of priv. leave 476; resumed charge of office of depy. consvr. of forests, Coorg 654
Dobson, Surgn. A. F., M.B., recd. charge of office of resdy. surgn., Mysore 556
Doyal Kishen Ghose, 3rd grade asst. surgn., Bengal provl. estabt., permtd. to resign the service . . 429
Dowman, Mr. H., survr., 4th grade, allowed priv. leave 397; promtd. to survr., 3rd grade . . 496
Drew, Mr. W., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Sagar-Katni-Bilaspur ry. surv. 616
Dunne, Mr. T. H., to offe. as survr., 4th grade . . 486

E

Eaton, Mr. J. N. A., student, Royal Indian engineering college, posted to I. V. and Kandahar state ry. 592
Egerton, Mr. R. W., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. to I. V. and Kandahar state ry. 519; transfd. to Hurnai road comd. 616
Emam Buksh, hospl. asst., passed English qualification exmn. 460; correction in spelling of name of— 628
Emigration :—Notice regarding unclaimed balances belonging to Indian emigrants lying at the British Guiana—agency 377
Engineering College, Howrah :—Notice to candidates for admn. to engr. class in govt.— 655, 669 688
Euan-Smith, Lt.-Col. C.B., C.S.I., offg. poll. agent, Bhurtpore and Kerowlee agency, granted priv. leave 448; delivered over charge of above agency

Page.

Ewing, Mr. R., apptd, exe. engr., Gwalior divn., 519; ceased to hold office of persnl. asst. to supdg. engr., C. I., and relieved of charge of works at Indore 544; recd. charge of Gwalior divn. . . 544
Exhibition :—Custom-house arrangements regarding goods for Calcutta international—1883-84, 544, 558, 566, 582, 593 608

F

French Mullen, Surgn.-Maj. T., M.D., agency surgn., Ulwar, availed himself of priv. leave . 408
Finch, Mr. F. store-keeper, I. V. and Kandahar state ry., class III state ry. supr. reve. estabt., priv. leave grant to—commuted to sick leave on medl. certi. 520
Fink, Mr. W. R., asst. registrar, original side, high court, Calcutta, to offe. as chief clerk . . . 627
Finnis, Lt. H., R.E., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, transfd. to Sirhind-Lahore comd., mily. works, as a tempy. arrangement 386; reptd. his arrival at Ferozepore 418
Fleming, Mr. G. L., asst. survr., 2nd grade, granted extn. of extraordinary leave 556
Floyd, Mr. W. C. L., exe. engr., 2nd grade, to offe. as supdt. of way and works, Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 466
Ford, Mr. C. W. J., promtd. to asst. survr., 1st grade 641
Fowler, Mr. F. D., to offe. as exe. engr., Nerbudda division 476
Futteh Mahomed, passed medl. pupil, mily. estabt.:—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., Rajputana, for civil employment 575; to receive pay as 3rd class hospl. asst. during employment as above 576; placed on reserve list of civil hospl. asst. estabt. 576; apptd. to, and took charge of, Ramsar dispensary 688

G

Gael, Mr. C. E., exe. engr., 2nd grade, made over charge of Neemuch divn. and deputed to Madras ry. surv. 476
Ganapathy, Mr. K., to exercise powers vested in a magte. of police under certain Act . . . 545
Gazette of India :—Notices relative to—371, 385, 397, 407, 417, 429, 459, 473, 485, 495, 507, 527, 539, 555, 565, 575, 591, 603, 615, 627, 641, 653, 665, 675 687
Geyan Chund, passed medl. pupil, mily. estabt.:—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., Rajputana, for civil employment 575; to receive pay as 3rd class, hospl. asst. during employment as above 576; placed on reserve list of civil hospl. asst. estabt. 576
Gibson, Mr. R. A., promtd. to asst. survr., 1st grade 496
Glennie, Capt. E., R.E., exe. engr., 4th grade, posted to Meerut comd., mily. works 643
Gocul Chund, passed medl. pupil, mily. estabt.:—Services of—placed temply. at disp. of agent. govr. genl., Rajputana, for civil employment 575; to receive pay as 3rd class hospl. asst. during em-

Page

Golam Mahomed, 2nd class hospl. asst., reserve list, temply. transfd. for service in native state of Dholepur 448; transfd. to reserve list of govt. hospl. assts. 604
Gopal Dass, 3rd class hospl. asst., retnd. from priv. leave 372
Govind Ram, promtd. to 2nd class hospl. asst. 628; passed English qualification exmn. 666
Government Printing:—Books which may be purchased from the office of supdt. of—380, 391, 402, 411, 424, 438, 454, 468, 482, 490, 503, 522, 534, 550, 560, 569, 585, 596, 610, 621, 635, 647, 659, . . 671, 682 691
Grant, Mr. H. E., asst. engr., 3rd grade, placed in independent charge of office of exe. engr., Gwalior divn.. 385; passed certain exmn. prescribed in p. w. d. code 418: made over charge of Gwalior division 544
Greenfield, Maj. J. H. L., made over charge of office of cantt. magte., Deoli 460
Greenig, Revd. G. H., Missionary M. E. C., apptd. marriage registrar for territories included in civil and mily. station of Bangalore and licensed to grant certis. of marriage within said territories between certain persons 642
Greenstreet, Capt. W. L., R.E., supdg. engr., Rawalpindi comd., mily. works, granted leave . . 688
Guhabar Sing, 3rd class hospl. asst., Mayo college hospl., Ajmere, granted leave without pay 372; placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana 539

H

Habeebullah Khan, 1st class hospl. asst., retnd. from leave and resumed charge of hospl. of Western Rajputana states agency 372; transfd. to Eastern Rajputana states agency . . . 448
Haddon, Mr. H. E., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, posted to Rajputana Malwa state ry. . . 633
Haig, Col. C. T., R.E., confirmed in 1st grade of depy. supdts., surv. of India 653
Hanby, Mr. H. T., promtd. to survr., 3rd grade . 642
Hanley, Mr. H. T., to be survr., 3rd grade . . 676
Hari Mohan Sen, 3rd grade asst. surgn., supy. list, granted leave of absence on m. c. 688
Harington, Surgn. H. N. V., in medl. charge of Meywar Bheel corps, availed himself of priv. leave 556
Harrington, Mr. H. S., exe. engr., 4th grade (tempy. rank), granted furlo. to England 643; above notfn. cancelled and other furlo. to England granted to— 680
Hecquet, Mr. M. S. N., hony. asst. engr., 1st grade, transfd. to I. V. and Kandahar state railway . 531
Herbert, Lt. C., made over charge of offices of asst. genl. supdt., thuggee and dacoity, Lower Rajputana and magte. of Abu 642
Hewett, Lt.-Col. G. L. K., comdt., Erinpura irr. force granted priv. leave 372; retnd. to duty . 576
High Court:—Rules passed by—of judicature at Fort William in Bengal 495; apptt. of comr. within all parts of England for taking acknowledgments of married women of deeds to be executed by them in respect of property in British India . . 507
Hill, Mr. E. P. S., asst. survr., 2nd grade, allowed

Page

Hobday, Capt. J. R., S.C., to offe as depy. supdt., 4th grade, surv. of India, 496; do. do. 628; to revert to his substantive post of asst. supdt., 1st grade 62
Hodson, Mr. C. W., exe. engr., 4th grade, posted to Saugor-Katni-Bilaspur ry. surv. 60
Hogan, Mr. J. P., exe. engr., 4th grade, tempy. rank, transfd to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. . . 60
Holder, Mr. P., 3rd class hospl. asst., transfd. to Abu dispensary 4
Hughes, Mr. B. R., apptd. asst. survr., 3rd grade . 56
Hullah, Mr. A., asst. supdt., 1st grade, tel. dept., allowed furlo. 66
Hurnauth, 3rd class hospl. asst., No. 388, mily estabt., services of—permtly. placed at disp. of govt. of N.-W. P. and Oudh for civil employment . . 68
Hushmut Ally, 3rd class hospl. asst., No. 306, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana 53
Huskisson, Lt. W., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. to Sibi divn. 66
Hydayatoollah, 2nd class hospl. asst., attd. to Rajputana-Malwa ry., passed his exmn. in English and entitled to draw higher rate of pay of his class for English qualification 60

I

Inglis, Condr. J., barrack mr., 2nd class, posted to Sirhind-Lahore comd., mily. works . . . 63

J

James, Mr. G. A., acctt., 1st grade, and hony. asst. exmr., transfd. to N.-W. P. and Oudh . . . 53
James, Mr. J. O. N., asst. survr. genl. and depy. supdt., 3rd grade, offg. 2nd grade, granted priv. leave 62
Jennings, Lt. R. H., R.E., on boundary duty in Jhallawar, availed himself of priv. leave 398; retnd. to duty 56
Jerome, Lt. H. J. W., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, transfd. to Beluchistan agency 632; posted to and joined Quetta divn. 66
Jogendra Nath Mittra, 3rd grade, asst. surgn., supy. list, permtd. to resign the service . . 68
Johns, Mr. W. A., asst. engr., 2nd grade, Jhansi-Manikpur. state ry., passed colloquial exmn. in Hindustani 466; passed professional exmn. . . 47
Jones, Mr. H. S., student, Royal Indian engineering college, posted to Rewari-Ferozepore state ry. . 59

K

Kashmir:—Illustrations of ancient buildings in— . 68
Keating, Mr. J., asst. survr., 2nd grade, granted priv. leave 59
Keelan, Mr. H. E. T., promtd. to survr., 1st grade, 642; to be survr., 1st grade, 676; granted priv. leave 68
Kellie, Lt. J., R.E., exe. engr., transfd. to and joined Saugor divn., mily. works, 466; transfd. to and joined Fort William divn., mily. works, 616; transfd. to head-qrs of Presde and Oudh

Page

Khuda Bux, 1st class hospl. asst., transfd. to North India salt reve. at Pachbadra 448
King, Mr. D. A., survr., 4th grade, allowed priv. leave 371
Kirpa Ram, 2nd class hospl. asst., No. 138, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana, 539; placed on reserve list of hospl. assts. for employment in native states . 604
Kitchen, Mr. F., confirmed as offg. survr., 4th grade 641
Kitts, Mr. E. J., made over charge of office of dist. supdt. of police, Ajmer, 418; apptd. magte. of dists. both of Ajmer and Merwara 545; made over charge of office of asst. comr., Ajmer . . . 666
Knight, Mr. T., exe. engr., 2nd grade, apptd. offg. exe. engr., Gwalior divn., 398; recd. charge of Neemuch divn. 476; apptd. offg. exe. engr., Neemuch divn., 497; notfn. apptg.—offg. exe. engr., Gwalior divn., cancelled 497; above cancelment cancelled 556
Kulla, Jemadar, Merwara battn., to be native adjt. of the force 576
Kultati Chengapa, to act as subedar and 3rd class magte., Yelusavirashime taluk 486
Kunnea Lall, 1st class hospl. asst., Kotah dispensary, granted priv. leave 372; rejoined his apptt. . 372
Kutati Chengapa, to act as subedar and 3rd class magte., Kiggatnad taluk, 386; to act as subedar and 3rd class magte., Yedenalknad taluk, 477; to act as subedar and 3rd class magte., Nanjarajpatna taluk 566

L

Lal Madhub Mookerji, 3rd grade asst. surgn., Bengal provl. estabt., permtd. to resign the service 519
Lamb, Mr. G. F., asst. engr., 1st grade, ry. branch:—Leave to Europe on p. a. granted to—commuted to leave on m. c. 668
Large, Mr. P. T. S., exe. engr., 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, granted leave in extn. of furlo. . . . 608
Larkins, Mr. A. B., asst. supdt., 1st grade, tel. dept., allowed furlo. 371
LaTouche, Mr. J. N. D., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Jhansi-Manikpur state ry. 643
Law Reports, Bengal, 379, 391, 402, 411, 423, 438, 454, 468, 480, 490, 503, 522, 534, 549, 560, 569, 585, 595, 610, 621, 635, 646, 659, 670, 681 . 691
Law Reports, Indian, 378, 391, 401, 411, 422, 438, 453, 468, 480, 490, 502, 522, 533, 548, 559, 569, 584, 594, 610, 620, 635, 645, 659, 670, 681 . 691
Lawrence, Mr. W. R., C.S., asst. agent to govr. genl., Rajputana, granted priv. leave 407; availed himself of above leave 434; retnd. to duty . . 604
Ledger, Mr. J. C., exe. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, posted to office of dir. genl. of rys. . . . 449
Light, Mr. L. A., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Saugor-Katni-Bilaspur ry. surv. 607
Lindsay, Mr. A. M., apptd. agent, Bank of Bengal, at Bombay 397
Litster, Mr. D., asst. engr., 3rd grade, passed lower standard exmn. prescribed in p. w. code 519; passed deptl. standard exmn. 556
Little, Mr. E. G., promtd. to survr., 3rd grade . . 641
Littlewood, Mr. H. R., promtd. to survr., 2nd grade, 642; to be survr., 2nd grade 676
Loch, Capt. W., asst. to resdt, Western Rajputana states and boundary sett. offr., Marwar, availed himself of priv. leave 418; retnd. to duty . . 591
Longe, Lt. F. B., R.E., asst. supdt., surv. of India, granted priv leave 496; priv. leave granted to—cancelled 539; confirmed in 1st grade of asst. superintendent 687
Lowrie, Mr. A. E., asst. consvr. of forests, 3rd grade, attd. to Ajmere and Merwara, passed examn. in Urdu and Hindi by certain higher standard . . 666
Luchman Dass, 2nd class hospl. asst., No. 187, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl, for Rajputana, 539; placed on reserve list of hospl. assts. for employment in native states . . 604
Lukhput Roy, 3rd class hospl. asst, transfd. to Rajputana dispensary at Sirohi 372; placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana . 539
Lutyens, Lt. J. G., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. to Meerut comd., mily. works . . . 643

M

MacIvor, Mr. C. V., exe. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 607
Mackie, Mr. C. H., asst. loco. supdt. in class III of supr. state ry. reve. estabt., posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 532
Madhu Sudan Moitra, 3rd grade asst. surgn., supy. list:—Services of—placed at disp. of agent, govr. genl., C. I., for employment in Charkari state . 371
Mahomed Abdool Wahid, 2nd class hospl. asst., to offe. as asst. surgn. at Beawar 688; transfd. to, and took charge of, Beawar dispensary . . 688
Mahomed Fakeer, hospl. asst., held medl. charge of Erinpura irr. force 519
Manohur Lall, 3rd grade asst. surgn., N.-W. P. provl. estabt., permtd. to resign the service . . 688
Maps of surv. of India 513
McCullagh, Maj. J. R., R.E., to offe. as depy. supdt., 3rd grade, surv. of India 627
McMillan, Mr. H., student, Royal Indian engineering college, posted to Jhansi-Manickpore ry. survey 592
McNair, Mr. W W., survr., 4th grade, permtd. to spend a further period of one month of his furlo. in India 397; do. do. 496
Meer Subdar Ally, 2nd class hospl. asst., No. 146, mily. estabt., permtly. placed at disp. of chief comr. for civil employment in Assam . . . 539
Mein, Lt. A. L., R.E., tempy. exe. engr., transfd. to Sirhind-Lahore comd., mily. works . . . 556
Merrett, Mr. W., to offe. as presdy. post mr., Bombay 669
Meteorological publications for sale, 378, 390, 401, 410, 422, 437, 453, 467, 479, 489, 502, 521, 533, 548, 559, 569, 584, 594, 610, 620, 634, 645, 659, 670, 681 690
Michell, Mr. W., asst. engr., 1st grade, posted to Rajputana-Malwa ry. 576; transfd. to I. V. and Kandahar state ry. 643; passed deptl. standard examn. 655
Military Orphan Fund:—Statement of deposits made with—in trust for soldiers' children 516, 525 540

Page

Miller, Mr. A. B., barrister-at-law, to continue to offe. as official trustee of Bengal in addn. to his own duties 653
Mir Akber Ali, to offe. as tehsildar, 3rd class, Ajmer, with certain powers 576
Moneeram Doss, 3rd class hospl. asst., No. 216, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of chief comr. for civil employment in Assam . . . 539
Money, Capt. G. E., B.S.C., 3rd squad. comdr., C. I. Horse, granted priv. leave 544
Moore, Mr. F. W., apptd. asst. survr., 3rd grade, surv. of India dept. 665
Moore, Lt. G. H. J., offg. adjt., Merwara battn., retnd. to duty 407
Muir, Maj. W. J., poll. agent, Harowtee and Tonk, granted priv. leave 566; recd. charge of Harowtee and Tonk agency 642
Munram Singh, 1st class hospl. asst., to act at Mayo college hospl., Ajmer 372
Munshi Ajodhya Pershad, held charge of office of supdt. of jail, Ajmer 688
Munshi Allah Nur Khan, to offe. as depy. magte., Kekree, 545; invested with certain civil and criminal powers 545; made over charge of office of depy. magte., Kekree 666
Munshi Jagat Narain, delivered over charge of office of depy. magte., Kekree, 386; to offe. as tehsildar of Beawar and invested with powers of 2nd class magte. 476; to be transfd. to Todgurh as offg. tehsildar, 2nd class 576
Munshi Punna Lal, to be transfd. to Beawar as tehsildar, 1st class 576
Murphy, Mr. J., promtd. to asst. survr., 1st grade . 443
Murray, Mr. P. G., traffic candidate, posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 466
Murzban, Mr. M. M. C., traffic candidate, posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 466
Muttanna, Mr. M., will be in charge of office of depy. consvr. of forests, Coorg, 408; delivered over charge of above office 654
Mysore :—Revised scale of license fees to be levied from tanneries in civil and mily. station of Bangalore 460; order regarding divn. of municipality of civil and mily. station of Bangalore into six divns. 508; rules for regulating payment of expenses of complainants and witnesses attending before criminal courts in civil and mily. station of Bangalore 509; *erratum* in resdt's. notfn. No. 16 of 10th Sept. 1883, 642; apptt., &c., of marriage registrar 642; notice regarding closing of offices for Christmas holidays 676; list of court holidays to be observed by civil courts, in civil and mily. station of Bangalore . . 676

N

Nadi Kerianda Monappa, subedar, Yedenalknad taluk, granted priv. leave 476
Nazeer Khan, 3rd class hospl. asst., Ramsar dispensary, granted priv. leave 688
Nehal Chund, 1st class hospl. asst., No. 71, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana, 539; placed on reserve list of hospl. asstg. for employment in native states . 604
Neilson, Surgn. W. H., M.B., assumed medl. charge of Erinpura irr. force 519
Nelson, Mr. R. E., exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*, posted to Saugor-Katni-Bilaspur ry. surv. . 607
Newill, Capt. J. H., cantt. magte., Nusseerabad, granted priv. leave 476; recd. charge of offices of asst. genl. supdt., thuggee and dacoity, Lower Rajputana, and magte. of Abu, 642; assumed charge of his duties as asst. agent to govr. genl., Rajputana 642
Newland, Mr. J., to offe. as survr., 4th grade, 641; to revert to his substantive post of asst. survr., 1st grade 642
Newman, Surgn.-Maj. J. H., civil surgn. and supdt. of jail, Ajmer, availed himself of priv. leave . . 628
Nobin Chunder Ghose, 3rd grade asst. surgn., Bengal provl. estabt., permtd. to resign the service 653
Norman, Mr. C., promtd. to asst. survr., 2nd grade . 641
Norris, Mr. M. O., asst engr., 2nd grade, posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 386
Nuthall, Lt.-Col. H. J., S.C., exe. engr., 1st grade, posted to Saugor-Katni-Bilaspur ry. surv. . . 608

O

O'Brien, Mr. E. C., to offe. as asst. dir. genl. of post office of India, foreign post branch . . 669
Oddie, Mr. H. J., asst. engr., 1st grade, granted extn. of leave on m. c. 546
Ogle, Mr. M. J., survr., 3rd grade, granted extn. of priv. leave 496
Oldfield, Lt. F. H., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Presdy.-Oudh comd., mily. works, 373; posted to and joined Lucknow divn., mily. works 408
Opium :—Possession of — in certain areas in Ajmer-Merwara restricted 408
Ordnance Dept. :—Notfn. regarding entertaining European and Eurasian lads as appees. in govt. factories, ... 616, 633 689

P

Pears, Lt. T. C., asst. comr., Merwara, apptd. a justice of the peace within and for the dist. of Ajmer-Merwara 434; granted priv. leave 545; recd. charge of office of asst. comr., Merwara . 654
Peel, Lt. F., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, passed deptl. standard exmn. in Hindustani . . . 556
Pemberton, Mr. J. S., promtd. to survr., 2nd grade 641
Penrose, Mr. W. H., asst. survr., 1st grada, granted leave on m. c. 675
Peshawar :—Wanted for comr.'s office a depy. supdt. and translator . . 486, 501, 520, 532, 547 556
Playfair, Lt.-Col. A.L., cantt. magte., Morar, granted priv. leave 476; granted extn. of priv. leave 544; retnd. from above leave and resumed charge of his office 615
Pocock, Mr. L. J., to be survr., 3rd grade . . 676
Polo Ram, 2nd class hospl. asst., Banswara dispensary, granted priv. leave 372; retnd. from priv. leave and resumed medl. charge of dispensary at Banswara 448

Page

Post Office :—
Unclaimed letters held in Calcutta genl.—377, 389, 400, 421, 437, 452, 467, 478, 489, 501, 520, 532, 547, 558, 568, 583, 592, 609, 619, 633, 644, 658, 669, 680 690
Letters marked "care of —" 377, 390, 400, 421, 437, 452, 467, 478, 489, 501, 521, 532, 547, 558, 568, 583, 592, 609, 619, 633, 644, 658, 669, 680 690
Registered letters, 377, 390, 400, 421, 437, 452, 467, 479, 489, 501, 521, 532, 558, 568, 592, 609, 619, 633, 644, 658, 669, 680 690
Notice regarding altn. of date of closing mails for British Burma, Chittagong, and Arrakan . 467
Sea and foreign mails, 377, 390, 400, 410, 422, 437, 452, 467, 479, 489, 521, 533, 547, 558, 568, 583, 592, 609, 619, 634, 644, 658, 669, 680 . 690
Apptts. in — made by dir. genl. of — of India 400, 568 633
Mail despatches to Ceylon from Calcutta genl.—410, 479, 532, 583, 634 690
Reduction of rate of commn. for money orders drawn upon Canada 421, 436 452
Extn. of date for receipt of tenders for conveyance of mails by sea on certain lines 452, 466, 478 489
Potter, Mr. C. D., to offe. as survr., 4th grade, 496; to revert to his substantive post of asst. survr., 1st grade, 642; to offe. as survr., 4th grade . . 676
Promissory Notes :—Statement of govt.—enfaced for payment of interest in London, &c., 376, 399, 420, 464, 487, 512, 543, 580, 606, 629, 656, 678; acct. of govt. — deposited as security for faithful performance of contracts 462
Prunty, Mr. P. F., asst. survr., 2nd grade, granted priv. leave 417
Public Works Dept. :—Notice regarding half-yearly exmn. of candidates for promn. and employment in— 373, 390
Pullan, Lt.-Col. A., to offe. as depy. supdt., 2nd grade, surv. of India 627
Pundit Bhag Ram, judl asst. comr., Ajmer, invested with certain powers of C. P. Code . . . 386

R

Rae Bishen Sarup, recd. charge of office of depy. magte., Kekree, 386; unexpired portion of priv. leave granted to—cancelled 386; placed in charge of duties of asst. comr., Merwara, 545; invested with certain civil and criminal powers 545; made over charge of office of asst. comr., Merwara, 654; recd. charge of office of depy. magte., Kekree 666
Rajputana :—Apptt. of presdt. and vice-presdt, of Kekree municipal comttee. 448; apptt. of members of municipal comttee. of Kekree, 449; declaration made regarding land required for city extn. purposes 461; do. regarding land required for widening certain road 461; apptt. of member of municipal comttee. of Kekree 497; books for sale in—490, 503, 522, 534, 550, 560, 569, 585, 596, 610, 621, 635, 647, 659, 682 691
Ramsay, Lt. H. L., recd. charge of office of cantt. magte., Nasirabad 654
Rennick, Mr. C. S., asst. engr., 2nd grade, p. w. d., Ajmer-Merwara, passed lower standard exmn. in Hindustani 531
Rennie, Mr. W. C., exe. engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*, posted to Jhansi-Manickpur ry. 566
Roberts, Maj. A. W., assumed charge of office of asst. poll. agent, Banswara and Perfabgarh . . 486
Robertson, Capt. D., offg poll. agent, 3rd class, 1st asst. to agent, govr. genl., for C. I., granted priv. leave 460; availed himself of, and recalled from, above leave 565
Rogers, Mr. P. P., asst. engr., 2nd grade, passed lower standard exmn. in Hindustani language 308; passed professional exmn. 477
Rumzan Ali, 1st class hospl. asst., Baran dispensary, Kotah, acted at Kotah dispensary . . . 372
Rungbeer Nagarcote, 2nd class hospl. asst., reserve list, transfd., for service in native state of Jeypore 372
Ryall, Mr. E. C., asst. supdt., 1st grade, surv. of India, granted priv. leave 417; granted leave on private affairs 675

S

Sadisiva Mudaliar, Mr. V., reapptd. to be municipal comr. for civil and mily. station of Bangalore, and to serve for No. 1 Ulsoor divn. . . 373
Savings Bank :—Abstract of operations of govt.—from 1st April 1882 to 31st March 1883, 520; statement of transactions of distt.—and state ry. provident institutions for qr. ending 31st March 1883 657
Scott, Capt. B., R.E., asst. engr., 1st grade, posted to Hurnai road works 576
Scott, Mr. F. W. M., asst. engr., 2nd grade, placed in charge of office of exe. engr., Indore divn. . 656
Scott, Mr. G. B., promtd. to survr., 1st grade . . 496
Scott-Moncrieff, Lt. G. K., R.E., offg. depy. consg. engr. to govt. of India for guaranteed rys., Lucknow, passed exmn. in Persian by higher standard 408; posted to Harnai road comd. . . 616
Scully, Surgn. J., medl. offr., Erinpura irr. force, granted provisional leave 476
Senior, Mr. R. W., asst. survr., 3rd grade, granted priv. leave 418
Shadbolt, Mr. E. J., exe. engr., tempy. 4th grade, Nerbudda divn., Bhopal state ry., granted furlo. . 418
Shaik Fazeelut Hoosain, 3rd class hospl. asst., No. 305, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana . . . 539
Shaik Hussain Ally, 1st class hospl. asst., No. 57, mily. estabt. :—Services of—temply. placed at disp. of chief comr., British Burma, for civil employment 616
Sherman, Mr. W. H. P., exe. engr., 2nd grade, granted extn. of furlo. on m. c. 418
Silver :—Weekly statement of—tendered, of certis. issued, and—balance in the mint 377, 389, 400, 409, 421, 436, 449, 465, 478, 488, 497, 520, 532, 546, 567, 576, 592, 607, 618, 632, 644, 655, 668 679
Smart, Mr. A. W., asst. survr., 2nd grade, allowed priv. leave 429; promtd. to asst. survr., 1st grade 641
Smart, Mr. R. B., confirmed as survr., 4th grade . 196
Smith, Maj. P. W., offg 2nd-in-comd., Erinpura irr. force, retnd. to duty 418
Sobha Ram, transfd. to, and assumed charge of, Todgurh dispensary 688
Stanton, Lt. E. C., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, was granted furlo. in India on m. c. 531

Page

Station Masters:—Examn. paper for—382, 394, 404, 414, 426, 440, 456, 470, 482, 492, 504, 524, 536, 552, 562, 572, 588, 600, 612, 624, 638, 650, 662, 672, 684 694
Steel, Maj. E. H., to offe. as depy. supdt., 4th grade, surv. of India, 628; confirmed in 4th grade of depy. supdts. 687
Stoddard, Mr. A., exe. engr., 1st grade:—Unexpired portion of leave granted to—cancelled . . . 676
Stotesbury, Mr. W., offg. survr., 4th grade, confirmed in that grade 459
Strahan, Maj. C., R.E., confirmed in 2nd grade of depy. supdts., surv. of India 687
Stuart, Mr. C. A., presdy. post mr., Bombay, made over charge of his office 669
Syeedoodin, 3rd class hospl. asst., No. 268, mily. estabt., placed permtly. at disp. of agent, govr. genl., for Rajputana, 539; placed on reserve list of hospl. assts. for employment in native states . 604

T

Talbot, Capt. A. C., recd. charge of Bhurtpore and Kerowlee agency 476; assumed charge of current duties of office of asst. agent to govr. genl., Shujangarh, in addn. to his own duties . . 531
Talbot, Lt. the *Hon'ble* M. G., R.E., to offe. as depy. supdt., 4th grade, surv. of India, 627; to revert to his substantive apptt. of asst. supdt., 1st grade 675
Tandy, Maj. H. S., apptd. asst. cantt. magte., Nasirabad, 476; invested with powers of magte. of 3rd class and with certain other powers, and to be subordinate to magte. of Ajmer dist. 476; made over charge of office of cantt. magte., Nasirabad . 654
Tapsell, Mr. C., to offe. as survr., 4th grade, 641; to revert to his substantive post of asst. survr., 1st grade 642
Tate, Mr. G. P., to be asst. survr., 2nd grade . . 676
Tebbs, Mr. F. R., asst. engr., 1st grade, Rajputana-Malwa ry., passed deptl. standard exmn. in Hindustani 408
Telegraph Dept:—Offices opened and closed during June 1883, 385; July 434; Aug. 496; Sept. 555; Oct. 603; Nov. 654
Temple, Lt.-Col. E., made over charge of office of poll. supdt., hilly tracts, Meywar 654
Thomson, Col. H. G., recd. charge of civil and sessions court, civil and mily. station of Bangalore . 477
Tibetan:—Manual of — being a guide to the colloquial speech of Tibet, 382, 394, 404, 414, 426, 440, 456, 470, 482, 492, 504, 524, 536, 552, 562, 572, 588, 600, 612, 624, 638, 650, 662, 672, 684 . . 694
Tickell, Mr. R. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, passed lower standard exmn. prescribed in p. w. code 519; transfd. to and joined Neemuch divn. . . 666
Todd, Mr. H., confirmed as offg. survr., 4th grade . 641
Todd, Mr. R., is reduced to the bottom of list of asst. survrs., 1st grade 417
Towers, Mr. G. L., asst. supdt., 1st grade, tel. dept., allowed furlo. 544
Treasure Trove 389, 421, 449, 466, 477, 486, 500, 501, 546, 582, 593, 608 643
Tremearne, Mr. S., to offe. as asst. registrar, high court, Calcutta 627
Tremenheere, Mr. J. H. A., M.C.S.:—Notfn. apptg.—to offe. as civil and sessions judge of civil and mily. station of Bangalore cancelled 408; delivered over charge of civil and sessions court, civil and mily. station of Bangalore 477
Troilokya Nath Moitra, 3rd grade asst. surgn., supy. list, permtd. to resign the service . . . 628
Trower, Mr. M. R., supdt., 3rd grade, tel. dept., allowed furlo. 665
Tuck, Mr. E. H., asst. engr., 2nd grade, transfd. to Jhansi-Manikpore state ry. 519

U

University:—
Students entitled to Maharaja *Sir* Jotendro Mohan Tagore's medals for 1883 . . 373, 386
Students passed exmns. in engineering . 485, 497
Notice regarding—exmn. in arts of 1883-84 . . . . . 429, 443, 507, 531
Changes in regns. for exmns. of female candidates 531, 544
Orders by vice-chancellor and syndicate of the Calcutta— 430, 444
Notice regarding election of Tagore professor 459, 473
Upcott, Mr. F. R., exe. engr., 2nd grade, granted furlough 408

V

Vasudeva Mudaliar, Mr. V., re-apptd. to be municipal comr. for civil and mily. station of Bangalore, and to serve for No. 2 Shulé divn. . . 373
Vincent, Capt. H. A., Bo.S.C., offg. 2nd-in-comd., 1st C. I. Horse, granted priv. leave . . . 519
Vyall, Mr. W. R., survr., 3rd grade, granted furlo. . 385

W

Warde, Mr. F. E., reduced to bottom of list of asst. survrs., 2nd grade 443
Waterhouse, Maj. J., confirmed in 3rd grade of depy. supdts., surv. of India 687
Watson, Lt. W. A., offg. squad. offr. and offg. adjt., 2nd regt., C. I. Horse, granted priv. leave . . 476
White, Mr. F. R., acctt., 1st grade, and hony. asst. exmr., transfd. to mily. works branch . . . 531
White, Mr. H. F., M.I.C.E., recd. charge of office of supdg. engr. and secy. to agent, govr. genl., for C. I., 386; granted furlo. to Europe . . . 527
White, Mr. P., asst. survr., 2nd grade, granted leave on m. c. 675
Whiteway, Mr. R. S., sett. offr., Ajmer, retnd. from priv. leave 434
Whitwell, Surgn.-Maj. H., medl. offr., Deoli irr. force and Harowtee and Tonk agency, granted priv. leave 616
Willes, Mr. G. S., asst. survr., 3rd grade, passed an exmn. in Hindustni by 1st or lower standard . 575
Wilson, Mr. W. A., to be survr., 2nd grade . . 676
Winmill, Mr. G., to act as loco. supdt. of I. V. ry. line 466
Wiseman, Mr. W., exe. engr., 3rd grade, posted to office of dir. genl. of rys. 677
Woolcombe, Mr. R., asst. engr., 2nd grade, posted to Rajputana-Malwa state ry. 608
Wyatt, Mr. A. G., survr., 3rd grade, granted furlo. to Europe 496
Wyllie, Capt. W. H. C., C.I.E., recd. charge of office of asst. comr., Ajmer 666

INDEX TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

PART III.

A

Page

ADVERTISEMENTS and notices by private individuals and corporations . . . 71, 75, 83, 85, 87, 89, 93, 97, 99

F

FUND—

Bengal Civil :—Report presented by the managers at half yearly general meeting of subscribers to—69, notice of half-yearly general meeting of subscribers to— 99

Uncovenanted Service Family Pension :—Abstract statement of—for 3rd quarter ending 31st January 1883, compared with corresponding quarter of 1882, 73; result of votes on circular No. 2, dated 22nd June 1883, 91; notice of 46th annual general meeting of subscribers to— 107

P

PROMISSORY NOTES reported to be lost, stolen, destroyed, or mislaid, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 71, 71, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105 107

INDEX TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

PART IV.

Page

ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S COUNCIL ASSENTED TO BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL :—

Act No. IX of 1883 :—The Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883. An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to agricultural tenancies in the Central Provinces 107

Act No. X of 1883 :—An Act to confirm and give effect to an award made by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General regarding certain matters in dispute between Sardar Bikrama Singh and the Kapurthala State 119, 121, 125

Act No. XI of 1883 :—An Act to give power to reduce port dues in the port of Bombay . . 123, 127, 129

Act No. XII of 1883 :—The British Burma Pilots Act, 1883. An Act to provide for the licensing and control of pilots in British Burma and for investigating certain charges against them . 131, 135, 139

Act No. XIII of 1883 :—An Act to declare the law in force in certain lands which have been or hereafter may be ceded by the Bahawalpur State for occupation by the Indus Valley State Railway 143, 167, 191

Act No. XIV of 1883 :—The North-Western Provinces and Oudh Local Boards Act, 1883. An Act to provide for the constitution of local boards in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh . 145, 169, 193

Act No. XV of 1883 :—The North-Western Provinces and Oudh Municipalities Act, 1883. An Act to make better provision for the organization and administration of municipalities in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh 155, 179, 203

Act No. XVI of 1883 :—An Act for the protection of inventions exhibited in the exhibitions of India 215, 219, 229

Act No. XVII of 1883 :—An Act to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876 . . . 217, 221, 231

Act No. XVIII of 1883 :—An Act to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 . . . . . 223, 233, 251

Act No. XIX of 1883 :—An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to loans of money by the Government for agricultural improvements 225, 235, 253

Act No. XX of 1883 :—The Punjab District Boards Act, 1883. An Act to make better provision for Local Self-Government in the districts of the Punjab 239, 257, 269

Act No. XXI of 1883 :—The Indian Emigration Act, 1883. An Act to amend the law relating to the emigration of Natives of India . . . . . 281, 307 ....

Act No. XXII of 1883 :—The Rangoon Tramways Act, 1883. An Act to authorize the making and to regulate the working of street tramways in Rangoon . . . . . 299, 325 ...

INDEX TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

PART V.

	Page		
BILLS INTRODUCED INTO THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS, OR PUBLISHED UNDER RULE 22:—			
No. 14 of 1883:—A Bill to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871	...	...	523
No. 15 of 1883:—A Bill to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876	...	525,	539
No. 16 of 1883:—A Bill to authorize the making and to regulate the working of street tramways in Rangoon	...	529,	543
No. 17 of 1883:—A Bill for the protection of inventions exhibited in the exhibitions of India		537,	551
No. 18 of 1883:—The Burma Local Self-Government Bill, 1883. A Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-Government in British Burma	554,	565,	577
No. 19 of 1883:—A Bill to declare the law in force in certain lands which have been or hereafter may be ceded by the Bahawalpur State for occupation by the Indus Valley State Railway	589,	...	...
No. 20 of 1883:—The Punjab Municipal Bill, 1883. A Bill to make better provision for the organization and administration of Municipalities in the Punjab	591,	613,	635
No. 21 of 1883:—A Bill to amend the Legal Practitioners Act, 1879, and the Indian Stamp Act, 1879	657,	659,	663
No. 22 of 1883:—A Bill to amend the Indian Ports Act, 1875	661,	665,	667
No. 23 of 1883:—A Bill to give effect to certain unregistered instruments of partition relating to immoveable property in the Madras Presidency, and to remove doubts as to the titles conferred thereby	...	...	668
No. 24 of 1883:—A Bill to repeal Bengal Regulation XIX of 1810 within the territories administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces	669,	673,	677
No. 25 of 1883:—A Bill to amend the Burma Courts Act, 1875	671,	675,	679

INDEX TO

The Gazette of India.

EXTRAORDINARY,

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

13th July 1883— Page

No. 2050.—Notification regarding four per cent. loan . . . . . .

8th October 1883—

No. 203.—Appoints Sir Aucland Colvin, K.C.M.G., B.C.S., an Ordinary Member of Council of Governor General, and notifies that he assumed charge of his office . . . . . .

27th October 1883—

Notification regarding Guard of Honour on the occasion of the arrival of His Excellency the Viceroy in Calcutta . . . . . .

7th December 1883—

Notification regarding observance of general holiday in honour of visit of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught . . . . . .

INDEX TO SUPPLEMENTS TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

Page

Agra Canal:—Statement of traffic on the—for May 1883; 1317; for June 1469; for July 1567; for Aug. 2129; for Sept. 2270; for Oct. 2293

Comparative return of traffic carried on the—for half-years ending 30th Sept. 1882 and 1881 . 1389

Bengal Tenancy Bill:—Papers and correspondence relative to— 1719

Burma Coast Lights.—Statement of receipts and expenditure on account of— 1540

Cast Iron:—Price list of—goods manufactured at the Burrakur Iron Works 2309

Cemeteries:—Resolutions regarding rules for levy and expenditure of fees on masonry graves and monuments in—and churches throughout India 1417 2244

Council:—Abstract of proceedings of—of Governor General of India, assembled for the purpose of making laws and regulations, on 20th June 1883, 1255; on 27th June 1296; on 11th July 1337; on 25th July 1375; on 8th Aug. 1426; on 29th Aug. 1517; on 5th Sept. 1541; on 12th Sept. 1583; on 19th Sept. 1598; on 4th Oct. 1649; on 10th Oct. 2070; on 7th Dec. 2301; on 14th December 2331

Crops:—Reports on the state of the season and prospects of the—for week ending 3rd July 1883, 1298; 10th July 1331; 17th July 1354; 24th July 1377; 31st July 1391; 7th Aug. 1419; 14th Aug. 1475; 21st Aug. 1495; 29th Aug. 1517; 4th Sept. 1533; 11th Sept. 1571; 18th Sept. 1600; 25th Sept. 1633; 2nd Oct. 1643; 9th Oct. 1665; 16th Oct. 2063; 23rd Oct. 2111; 30th Oct. 2135; 6th Nov. 2179; 13th Nov. 2233; 20th Nov. 2237; 27th Nov. 2247; 4th Dec. 2272; 11th Dec. 2296; 18th Dec. 2326; 21st Dec. 2344; 25th Dec. 2348

Currency Department:—Report on operations of—for 1882-83 1427

Customs Revenue:—Comparative statement of net Indian sea and land—(excluding salt revenue) for first three months of 1883-84 and of 12 preceding years 1370; for first four months of do. and of do. 1494; for first five months of do. and of do. 1618; for first six months of do. and do. 2062; for first seven months of do. and of do. 2229; for first eight months of do. and of do. . . . 2321

Emigration:—Abstract showing result of—from port of Calcutta during April 1883, 1513; during May 1605; during June 1648; during July 2140; during Aug. 2245; during Sept. 2325

Exhibition:—Resolution regarding International—proposed to be held at Sydenham 2291

Ganges Canals:—Statement of traffic on upper and lower—for May 1883, 1318; for June 1470; for July 1568; for Aug. 2130; for Sept. 2269; for Oct. 2294; comparative return of traffic carried on on upper and lower—for half-years ending 30th Sept. 1882 and 1881 1388

Gold and silver plate:—Papers regarding suggested abolition of English duty on—and system of compulsory hall-marking 2253

Hall-marking:—Papers regarding suggested abolition of English duty on gold and silver plate, and system of compulsory— 2253

Home Department:—Resolution regarding measures to prevent frequent changes in the personnel of the administrative staff of a province 1329; rules for filling up vacancies in clerical establishments of secretariat offices of Government of India and departments directly attached to them by competitive examination 1343

Execution of deeds, contracts, &c., on behalf of Secretary of State 1376 1577

Irrigation:—

Operations of fasl kharif in the North-Western Provinces, 1883, up to 31st May 1883, 1316, 1468; do. 1883-84 up to 31st July 1883; 1566; up to 31st Aug. 2128; up to 30th September 2268

Operations in Bengal for 1882-83, 1315; do. for 1883-84, 1372, 1387, 1505, 1580, 2265 2266

Operations of fasl kharif in the Punjab for 1883-84, up to 31st May 1883, 1373; up to 30th June 1506; to 31st July 1581; to 31st Aug. 2131; to 30th Sept. 2267

Comparative statement of—and rainfall for the years 1881-82 and 1882-83 in the Madras Presidency 2120

Statements of—operations of the rabi crop of 1882-83 in the Punjab 1409; do. of fasl rabi of do. do. 1565

Comparative statement of—and rainfall on canals in the Deccan and Gujarat for 1882-83 . . 1410

Operations, North-Western Provinces, for rabi season 1882-83 (1st Oct. to 31st March) . 1460

Page

Operations of fasl rabi in North-Western Provinces, 1883, up to 31st Oct. 1883 . . . 2292
Operations of fasl rabi, 1882-83, 1462, 1463 . 1464
Operations of year 1882-83, 1465, 1466, 1467 . 1621
Statements of—operations of fasl kharif of 1882-83 in the Punjab 1619
Legislative measures:—Steps for giving greater publicity to— 1514
Monuments:—Resolution regarding manner in which measures for conservation of ancient—are in future to be carried out 2241
Oil Lands:—General report of the Punjab— . . 1671
Paper Mills:—Report on sites in the Bombay Presidency suitable for—worked by water-power . 2117
Petroleum:—Correspondence, report, &c., regarding importation of—into India 2160
Pilgrims:—Arrangements for transport of—from Camaran to Jeddah 1418
Prices Current of food grains:—Supplement for 2nd half of May 1883, 1254; 1st half of June 1883, 1304; supplement for 2nd half of May 1314; supplement for 1st half of June 1340; 2nd half of June 1360; supplement for 1st half of May and 2nd half of June 1384; for 1st half of July 1399; supplement for 2nd half of June 1408, supplement for 1st half of July 1471; for 2nd half of July 1483; supplement for 1st half of July 1492; supplement for 2nd half of July 1502; for 1st half of Aug. 1522; supplement for 1st half of Aug. 1564; for 2nd half of Aug. 1608; supplement for 1st half of June 1622; supplement for 2nd half of Aug. 1641; supplement for 2nd half of June 1653; 1st half of Sept. 1654; supplement for 2nd half of Aug. 2061; for 2nd half of Sept. 2098; supplement for 1st half of Sept. 2108; supplement for 1st and 2nd halves of Sept. 2133; for 1st half of Oct. 2144; supplement for 2nd half of Aug. and 1st and 2nd halves of Sept. 2186; for 2nd half of Oct. 2218; supplement for 2nd half of Sept. and 1st half of Oct. 2228; supplement for 2nd half of Oct. 2246; for 1st half of Nov. 2280; supplement for 1st and 2nd halves of Oct. 2290; for 2nd half of Nov. 2310; supplement for 1st half of Nov. 2320; supplement for 2nd half of Nov. . 2346
Railway:—Preliminary report on the reconnaissance survey of the country between Moghal Sarai and Daltonganj, in connection with the projected Benares-Cuttack-Pooree—1623; papers regarding Assam-Behar—2189; synopsis of transactions of guaranteed—companies from commencement of operations to end of 1882 2322
Railways:—
Returns of accidents on Indian—for first quarter of 1883, 1547; for second quarter of ditto . 2201
Approximate statement of gross receipts and expenses of Indian—
No. 14 of 1883 1319
„ 15 of „ 1320
„ 16 of „ 1321
„ 17 of „ 1322
„ 18 of „ 1323
„ 19 of „ 1324
„ 20 of „ 1325
„ 21 of „ 1326
„ 22 of „ 1327
„ 23 of „ 1341
„ 24 of „ 1342
„ 25 of „ 1371
„ 26 of „ 1414
„ 27 of „ 1415
„ 28 of „ 1472
„ 29 of „ 1493
„ 30 of „ 1504
„ 31 of „ 1532
„ 32 of „ 1569
„ 33 of „ 1582
„ 34 of „ 1620
„ 35 of „ 1640
„ 36 of „ 1664
„ 37 of „ 1718
„ 38 of „ 2109
„ 39 of „ 2132
„ 40 of „ 2154
„ 41 of „ 2187
„ 42 of „ 2230
„ 43 of „ 2271
„ 44 of „ 2295
„ 45 of „ 2323
„ 46 of „ 2324
Telegraph.—Abstract of foreign traffic for April 1883, 1339; for year 1882-83, 1473; for May 1883, 1501; for June 1639; for July 2060; for Aug. 2279; for Sept. 2345
Weather:—Memorandum of—characteristics of India during May and June 1883, 1335; do. during July 1424; Aug. 1883 in India 1538; do. during Sept. 2068; during six months May to October . 2231
Wild Animals:—Resolution regarding destruction of —and venomous snakes in British India . . 2155

INDEX TO EXTRA SUPPLEMENT TO

The Gazette of India.

JULY TO DECEMBER 1883.

Page

Opinions regarding the Bill to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, so far as it relates to the exercise of jurisdiction over European British subjects . . . . . .

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

Nº 27.} SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

CONTENTS.

PART I.—Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, Leave of Absence, General Orders, Rules and Regulations.

PART II.—Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, Administrator General, Paper Currency Dept., Presidency Pay Master, Money Order Department, Mint Master, Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Supdt. of Government Printing, and other Government Officers; Postal, Telegraph, and Commissariat Notices.

PART III.—Advertisements and Notices by private individuals and Corporations.

PART IV.—Acts of the Governor General's Council assented t by the Governor General :—

The Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

PART V.—Bills introduced into the Council of the Governc General for making Laws and Regulations, or publishe under Rule 22 :—

The Cattle-trespass Bill, 1883.
The Native Passenger Ships Bill, 1883.
The Rangoon Street Tramways Bill, 1883.
The Protection of Inventions Bill, 1883.

SUPPLEMENT No. 27.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 2nd July 1883.

No. 157.—*Appointment.*—Mr. C. J. Lyall, M.A., C.I.E., C.S., Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, to officiate as Judge and Commissioner of the Assam Valley Districts during the absence of Mr. W. E. Ward, M.A., C.S., on other duty, or until further orders.

No. 158.—*Appointment.*—Mr. E. Stack, C.S., Director of Agriculture in Assam, to officiate as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner during the absence of Mr. C. J. Lyall, on other duty, or until further orders.

MEDICAL.

The 3rd July 1883.

No. 221.—The services of Surgeon J. Armstrong, Officiating Medical Officer, 11th Native Infantry, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

No. 223.—The services of Surgeon M. Gaisford, Medical Officer, 40th Native Infantry, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

PATENTS.

The 30th June 1883.

No. 633.—Specifications of the undermentione inventions have been filed, under the provision of Act XV of 1859, in the Office of the Secretar to the Government of India in the Home Depart ment. Copies have been sent to one of th Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Wester Provinces. A copy of every specification is ope to public inspection, at all reasonable hours, at th Office of the Secretary to the Government o India in the Home Department at the Presidency upon payment of a fee of one rupee. A certifie copy of any specification will be given to an person requiring the same on payment of th expense of copying :—

No. 156 of 1882.—David Skinner Kemp, of Bombay European inhabitant, Gener Manager of Kemp and Company Limited, carrying on business o a wholesale and retail Chemist manufacturer, ærated water make and merchant of Bombay, afore said, for filling medicine and othe bottles with powder, or other suit able solid material.

No. 161 of 1882.—Richard Olpherts, of Ardee, Irelan Esquire, for improvements i obtaining colouring matters fro the indigo plant.

No. 185 of 1882.—Arthur Cooper, of the Laurels Lin thorpe, Middlesboro, in the County of York, England, for improve ments in the treatment of iron o steel ingots.

No. 4 of 1883.—Thomas Alva Edison, of Menlo Park, New Jersey, United States of America, for improvements in means for indicating and regulating the current of electrical generators for supplying electric lights and other purposes.

No. 5 of 1883.—Thomas Alva Edison, of Menlo Park, New Jersey, United States of America, for improvements in means for regulating the generative capacity of dynamo or magneto electric machines.

No. 6 of 1883.—Thomas Alva Edison, of Menlo Park, New Jersey, United States of America, for improvements relating to dynamo or magneto electric machines for regulating the generative capacity of such machines.

No. 7 of 1883.—Thomas Alva Edison, of Menlo Park, New Jersey, United States of America, for improvements relating to dynamo or magneto electric machines for regulating the generative capacity of such machines.

No. 8 of 1883.—Thomas Alva Edison, of Menlo Park, New Jersey, United States of America, for improvements in electrical generators and engines, and in apparatus or means for regulating generators of electricity.

No. 21 of 1883.—Charles Farquhar Findlay, of No. 7, Mecklenburgh Street, in the County of Middlesex, England, for improvements in rope traction railways or tramways.

No. 22 of 1883.—Frederick Morris, of San Francisco, in the State of California, United States of America, and John Patterson, of London, England, for improvements in amalgamating and settling apparatus.

No. 38 of 1883.—Arthur Campbell Rogers, Assistant Engineer, of Seohara, Bijnour, North-Western Provinces, for improvements to Messrs. Death and Ellwood's patent post sugar mill.

No. 55 of 1883.—Joseph Samuel Beeman, William Taylor, and Frank King, all of Cannon Street, London, England, for new apparatus for regulating and measuring electric currents.

No. 56 of 1883.—William Taylor and Frank King, both of 67, Strand, London, England, for improvements in secondary batteries.

No. 57 of 1883.—Joseph Samuel Beeman, William Taylor, and Frank King, all of Cannon Street, London, England, for improvements in electric secondary or storage batteries.

No. 67 of 1883.—Henri Herrenschmidt, Metallurgist, and Marmaduke Constable, Gentleman, both of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, for an improved process of extracting the oxides of cobalt and manganese from their ores.

No. 68 of 1883.—Adam Cyrus Engert, of Three Mills Lane, Bromley-by-Bow, in the County of Middlesex, England, for improvements in steam boilers and furnaces.

No. 69 of 1883.—Henry Hamilton Remfry, of No. 5' Fancy Lane, in Calcutta, Solicitor and Patent Agent, for improvements in mechanism used for transporting goods and passengers by the aid of electricity.

No. 71 of 1883.—James Ballantyne Hannay, Chemist, of Glasgow, Scotland, for improvements in applying zinc for preventing corrosion in steam boilers.

No. 73 of 1883.—John Ambrose Fleming, of Hampstead, in the County of Middlesex, Great Britain, Doctor of Science, for improvements in the preparation or production of insulating materials or articles.

No. 78 of 1883.—Desmond Gerald Fitz-Gerald, of Brixton, in the County of Surrey, Electrician, and Thomas John Jones, of Princes Street, Hanover Square, in the County of Middlesex, Electrician, for improvements in secondary or storage batteries.

No. 86 of 1883.—William Bushell and Walter Thomas Haydon, both of Dover, in the County of Kent, England, Engineers, for improvements in machinery or presses for expressing oil from seed and in the manufacture of oil-cakes therefrom.

FORESTS.

The 6th July 1883.

No. 571 *F.*—Consequent on the retirement from the Service of Mr. D. Brandis, Ph.D., C.I.E., Inspector General of Forests to the Government of India, Dr. W. Schlich, Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade and Officiating Inspector General of Forests to the Government of India, is confirmed in the latter appointment, with effect from the 24th April 1883.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 2nd July, 1883.

No. 1710 *G.*—With reference to Foreign Department Notification, No. 212G.-P., dated the 23rd June, 1882, Mr. L. Biedermann, Acting Consul for Belgium, at Rangoon, has resumed charge of his office.

No. 1714 *G.*—With reference to Foreign Department Notification, No. 956G., dated the 3rd April, 1883, the recognition of the appointment by the Government of India of Mr. J. Macfadyen as Acting Consul-General for Denmark, at Calcutta, has been confirmed by Her Majesty's Government.

No. 1723 G.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, dated Simla, the 2nd July, 1883.

Read again—

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2809P., dated the 15th October, 1875.

Read—

Circular No. 155G., dated the 20th July, 1882, addressed to the officers named in the margin, inviting an expression of their opinion on certain proposed amendments in the rules for the examination of junior officers in the Political Department, and requesting them to submit any further proposals which might occur to them as desirable.

Resident at Hyderabad.
" in Mysore.
Agent to the Governor-General for Central India.
" " " for Rajputana.
" " " at Baroda.
" " " in Biluchistan.
Political Resident in the Persian Gulf.

Read also the undermentioned replies from the officers named above :—

Resident at Hyderabad, No. 77, dated the 16th August, 1882.
" in Mysore, No. 1071-211, dated 8th August, 1882.
Agent to the Governor-General for Central India, No. 117G.-266, dated the 5th August, 1882.
" " " for Rajputana, No. 2159G., dated the 29th July, 1882.
" " " at Baroda, " 6193 " 31st "
" " " in Biluchistan, " 60F.C.-A.G.G., dated the 19th October, 1882.
Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, No. 162, dated the 9th August, 1882.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Governor-General in Council considers it desirable to amend the Rules which have hitherto been enforced for admission to, and retention of appointments in, the Political Department. The following Rules are therefore published for general information, in supersession of those issued under Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2809P., dated Simla, the 15th October, 1875 :—

I.—The following are eligible for appointment to the Political Department :—

Covenanted Civilians.

Officers permanently appointed to Her Majesty's Indian Army.

Natives of India specially selected.

II.—Every officer hereafter appointed to the Political Department in and below the grade of Political Assistants of the 1st Class, must pass an examination in the following subjects :—

(A)

(*Within one year from the date of his appointment.*)

* (1) INDIAN HISTORY.—The last edition of Marshman's History.

* (2) POLITICAL ECONOMY.—Fawcett's Manual.

(3) INTERNATIONAL LAW.—Wheaton's.

(4) TREATIES.—Aitchison's Treaties, Vol. III, and also, if the officer is serving elsewhere than in Central India or Rajputana, the volume or portion of the work referring to the province in which he is serving.

* (5) LAW.—Markby's Elements of Law, Indian Penal Code, Criminal Procedure Code and Indian Evidence Act.

(6) AN EXAMINATION IN URDU.†—The candidate will be required to read ordinary and fairly written Urdu and Hindi documents and to converse fluently with a Native, besides interpreting and explaining without hesitation any orders that he may be directed to communicate.

---

* Officers who have already passed in these subjects before admission to the Civil Service, or otherwise, will not be required to undergo another examination in them.

† Officers will be required to pass this examination, notwithstanding that they may have already passed an examination in Urdu by the "Higher Standard," before appointment to the Political Service, but officers who have passed the "High Proficiency" test in Urdu are exempted.

(B)

(*Within three years from the date of his appointment.*)

An examination* in Arabic or Persian by the Higher Standard, or in Urdu by the High Proficiency Standard, to be passed at the Presidency, and, for the Province of British Burma, in Burmese by the High Proficiency Standard. The Standard in each case to be the same as that recognised under the Civil and Military Examination Rules.

III.—Half-yearly examinations in the subjects mentioned under (A) will be held in April and October of each year.

IV.—The head† of the Administration will, not less than a month in advance, fix the exact date on which, and the place where, the examinations will be held; will publish the same in the local Gazette, if there be one; and will send notice to all officers liable to examination.

V.—Not less than a fortnight before the date fixed for examination, the head of the Administration will appoint a Committee for the conduct of the examination, to consist of not less than two passed officers.

VI.—Such Committee will frame papers of questions (to be not less than eight or more than twelve) on each of the books abovementioned.

VII.—The candidates will be allowed three hours to answer each set of questions.

VIII.—To each question a number of marks will be allotted, to amount to about 100 in the aggregate. To pass the examination in each particular subject, it will be necessary that the candidate obtain sixty per cent. of such aggregate maximum number of marks.

IX.—When the examination is concluded, the Committee will submit to the head of the Administration—

(1) The questions and answers.

(2) A schedule of the marks obtained by each of the candidates in the following form :—

* Officers who have already passed the linguistic test prescribed for this examination, before the Presidency Board of Examiners, need not pass it again.

† Resident or Governor-General's Agent.

Name of candidate.	BOOKS.																								Remarks containing the Committee's opinion as to whether the candidate has or has not passed in all subjects, including the Urdu test under (A).*
	Marshman.			Fawcett.			Wheaton.			Aitchison.			Markby.			Penal Code.			Criminal Procedure Code.			Indian Evidence Act.			
		No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.			No. of Marks.		
	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	Question.	Attainable.	Obtained.	
	I			I			I			I			I			I			I			I			
	II			II			II			II			II			II			II			II			
	III			III			III			III			III			III			III			III			
	IV			IV			IV			IV			IV			IV			IV			IV			
	V			V			V			V			V			V			V			V			
	&c.			&c.			&c.			&c.			&c.			&c.			&c.			&c.			
Total ...																									

* Taking 100 as representing the highest degree of efficiency in all subjects and 60 as representing the minimum standard of qualification, the Committee should enter against each candidate's name, in the column of remarks, a figure, being 100 or some fraction of 100, and indicating the estimate which they have formed of the candidate's general attainments.

The head of the Administration will consider the recommendation of the Committee, will decide whether the several candidates have or have not passed the required tests, and will report his decision to the Foreign Secretary within one month from date of examination. If in his opinion any officer has passed "with credit" or "with great credit," he will make a statement to that effect in the report.

X.—If an officer presenting himself for examination within a year from the date of his appointment is held to have passed in at least half the subjects mentioned under (A), he will be allowed six months' grace to enable him to pass in the remaining subjects. If he fails to pass in at least half the subjects within a year, or if, having passed in half the subjects within a year, he fails to pass in the remaining subjects within the period of grace allowed to him, he will be removed from employment in the Political Department.

XI.—Political Assistants will ordinarily receive no more than Rs. 400 per mensem until they shall have passed the above examination. They will then draw the full salary to which they may be otherwise entitled, subject to a certificate from the head of the Administration that they are in all respects qualified for the efficient discharge of their duties.

XII.—Examinations under (B) (except that in Urdu by the High Proficiency Standard, which must be passed at the Presidency) may be conducted by the Committees assembled under Rule V, if one of the members has already passed the Higher Standard examination in Arabic or Persian, or the High Proficiency examination in Burmese; but no officer will be entitled to receive any pecuniary reward for passing the Higher Standard or High Proficiency Standard at such examinations. Rewards are granted only for examinations passed at a Presidency town under the rules prescribed for the Civil and Military services.

In case an officer elects to pass the examination in Arabic or Persian before a local Committee, the papers will be set by the Calcutta Board of Examiners. The local Committee will see that the answers are written under such conditions as to time, &c., as may be prescribed, and the answers will then be sent to the Board of Examiners for report. The Committee will examine in the colloquial test, and will take care that the officer's qualifications in this respect are thoroughly satisfactory.

XIII.—Officers failing to pass the examination under (B), within the prescribed period, will forfeit their appointments, notwithstanding that they may have passed the examination under (A).

The head of the Administration will furnish the Foreign Department, on the 1st of April and the 1st of October of each year, with a statement of all officers liable to examinations (A) and (B) in the following form:—

Name of candidate.	Date of appointment to the Political Department.	Number of half-yearly examinations since appointment.	Remarks showing whether candidate has passed, and if not, whether under Rule X or XIII of Notification No. , dated , he has any further period of grace.

No. 1724 *G*.

Secretary to the Government of the Punjab.
Chief Commissioner, British Burma.
" " Ajmere.
Resident at Hyderabad.
" in Nipal.
" in Mysore.
Agent to the Governor-General for Central India.
" " " for Rajputana.
" " " at Baroda.
" " " in Biluchistan.
Political Resident in the Persian Gulf.
" " in Turkish Arabia.
" Agent at Zanzibar.
General Superintendent of the Operations for Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti.
Agent to the Governor-General with the King of Oudh and Superintendent of Political Pensions.
Officer on Special Duty in Kashmir.
Officer in charge of the Ex-Amir Yakub Khan.

Ordered, that the Rules, as now amended, be published in the *Gazette of India*, and that copies be sent to the Administrations and officers noted on the margin, for information and guidance, and to the Governments of Fort St. George and Bombay and the Home and Military Departments for information.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT,
POLITICAL;
Simla, the 2nd July, 1883.

By order, &c.,
C. GRANT,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The 5th July, 1883.

No. 1735 *G.*—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. J. Woodtli as Consul for the Netherlands, at Aden.

No. 1747 *G.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. T. H. Rooke as Acting Consular Agent for Italy, at Akyab, during the absence of Mr. G. Ruckert.

GENERAL.

The 5th July, 1883.

No. 1740 *G.*—Mr. J. H. A. Tremenheere, M.C.S., is appointed to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of the civil and military station of Bangalore, with effect from the 23rd May, 1883, during the absence on privilege leave of Colonel H. G. Thomson, or until further orders.

MILITARY.

The 5th July, 1883.

No. 1743 *G.—Erratum.*—In Foreign Department Notification, No. 1363 G., dated the 9th May, 1883, for the words "14th April, 1883," read *20th March, 1883.*

No. 1745 *G.*—Jemadar Merwanjee Cooverjee, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, is permitted to resign his commission.

C. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 3rd July 1883.

No. 1864.—The following appointments are made in the Financial Department:—

Mr. E. S. Byrne to be Deputy Comptroller General in Class I of the Enrolled List of the Financial Department.

Mr. J. E. Cooke to be Deputy Accountant General, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, but to officiate until further orders as Deputy Accountant General, Bengal.

Mr. J. F. Finlay, M.A., B.C.S., to officiate until further orders as Deputy Accountant General, North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

Mr. Stephen Jacob, B.C.S. (on furlough), to be Deputy Accountant General, Bengal, in Class II of the Enrolled List of the Financial Department.

Mr. R. Logan, B.C.S., is confirmed in the appointment of Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce.

Mr. Arthur Frederick Cox, M.C.S., is appointed to be Assistant Comptroller General in Class III of the Enrolled List of the Financial Department, but will continue to officiate until further orders as Assistant Accountant General, Bombay, and in Class II of the Enrolled List of the Financial Department.

The following Addendum to the Codes of the Financial Department is published for general information:—

The 4th July 1883.

No. 1826.

C. L. C.

PAGE 163.

Section 72, Rule 2.

Add the following to the Note under the Rule:—

When applying for privilege leave under the ordinary rules, a Sessions Judge should append to his application a certificate that he remained at his station on duty during the Court vacation. If he has not remained at his station on duty during the whole term of the vacation, he should state in the certificate the date on which he left his station, and the date on which he returned to duty. In the case of a Sessions Judge who has been absent from his station for a portion of the vacation, a period equal to the number of days of his absence should be deducted from his privilege leave.

The 6th July 1883.

No. 1926.—The Notification of this Department, No. 666, dated the 4th May 1883, is hereby cancelled, and the following issued in substitution thereof:—

Whereas it appears to the Governor General in Council desirable that precautions should be taken to prevent the importation of impure explosives into British India, His Excellency in Council, in exercise of the powers vested in him by Section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, is pleased, as a temporary measure, pending legislation on the subject, to prohibit the bringing or taking by sea or land into British India of dynamite and of all analogous preparations of nitro-glycerine, unless—

(*a*) the custom-house authorities are satisfied on the report of the Chemical Examiner or of some other chemist appointed in this behalf by the Local Government that the explosives comprised in the consignment are free from exudation, and satisfy the "heat test" applied by Her Majesty's Inspectors of Explosives in England; or

(*b*) that the consignment is covered by a certificate of one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Explosives in England showing that samples were taken from bulk before shipment and satisfied the tests applied by such Inspectors.

No. 1931.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Indian Salt Act, XII of 1882, the Governor General in Council imposes a duty of 8 annas per Lahori maund of $102\frac{17}{28}$ lbs. avoirdupois on salt manufactured in the mines in the district of Kohat noted on the margin, with effect from the 7th July 1883.

Jatta, Malgin, Narri, Karrak, Bahadur Khel.

D. M. BARBOUR,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 6th July, 1883.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 383.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers appointed by the Secretary of State probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Governments of Madras and Bombay in view to their appointment to the Staff Corps of those Presidencies respectively, with effect from the date of their arrival in India :—

Madras.

Lieutenant E. G. S. Warren, Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

Bombay.

Lieutenant R. D. Broome, 1st West India Regiment.

No. 384.—The undermentioned officers have been appointed on probation to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, and have been posted to corps under the Government of India :—

Lieutenant L. Herbert, Suffolk Regiment,—23rd April, 1883.

Lieutenant H. L. Pennell, 1st Dragoon Guards,—3rd May, 1883.

Lieutenant F. C. Grant, South Wales Borderers,—9th May, 1883.

No. 385.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant J. E. Preston, Madras S. C., Wing Officer, 13th Madras Native Infantry, to be a Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 15th June, 1883.

No. 386.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

5th Punjab Infantry.

Major J. Finnis, Officiating 2nd-in-Command, 2nd Punjab Infantry, to be Wing Commander, *vice* Major C. McK. Hall, but to continue to officiate as 2nd-in-Command, 2nd Punjab Infantry.

Major A. D. Streffell, Wing Officer, 2nd Punjab Infantry, to officiate as Wing Commander during the period Major Finnis may continue with the 2nd Punjab Infantry, or until further orders.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 387.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. B. Brownlow, Bengal S. C., (m. c.) for three months.

No. 388.—Sub-Conductor H. Stenson, Commissariat Department, was on leave in India (m. c.) from the 8th to the 17th October, 1882, in extension of privilege leave, under Rule X of the regulations of 1875.

No. 389.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) H. Tyndall, C.B., Bengal S. C., having vacated the command of the 2nd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, on the 1st April 1883, is permitted to reside in Europe on the terms laid down in paragraph 7 of G. G. O. No. 209 of 1882.

PENSIONS.

No. 390.—Sub-Conductor Henry Gerard Hein, Commissariat Department, is transferred to the Pension establishment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 391.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Edward George Wace,—1st July, 1883.

To be Major.

Captain Edwin Henry Hayter Collen,—1st July, 1883.

BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Woodburn Francis Bartleman, Bengal Infantry,—20th July, 1881.

No. 392.—NATIVE ARMY—

24th Native Infantry.

Havildar Kowda Sing to be Jemadar, *vice* Ludha Sing, invalided ; Havildar Bagh Sing to be Jemadar, *vice* Tarah Sing, invalided,—1st May, 1883.

33rd Native Infantry.

Havildar Hurpal Sing to be Jemadar, *vice* Seolal Aheer, invalided,—1st May, 1883.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 393.—Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Nicholls Walker, Bengal S. C., is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st July, 1883, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 394.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the formation of a Volunteer Corps in Biluchistan, to be designated the "Biluchistan Volunteer Rifle Corps."

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 395.—BILUCHISTAN VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS—

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir R. G. Sandeman, K.C.S.I., Agent to the Governor General for Biluchistan, to be Honorary Colonel.

Major J. E. P. Mosley, Commandant, Biluch Guides, to be Commandant.

No. 396.—BEHAR VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS—

John Graham Cordery, Esq., C.S., Resident at Hyderabad, to be Honorary Colonel, *vice* William Brittain Jones, Esq., C.S.I., C.S., resigned.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 397.—The following promotions are made in the Engineer Establishment, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	Date.
Capt. A. E. Ward, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*	Exe. Engr., 2nd grade	Permanent	14th April, 1883.
Capt. A. Hildebrand, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 3rd grade...	Exe. Engr., 2nd grade...	Sub. *pro tem.*	14th " "
Capt. S. J. Lambert, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*	Exe. Engr., 3rd grade	Permanent	14th " "
Lieut. T. P. Cather, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 4th grade...	Exe. Engr., 3rd grade ...	Sub. *pro tem.*	14th " "
Capt. E. Glennie, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.*	Exe. Engr., 4th grade...	Permanent	14th " "
Capt. C. H. Brookes, R.E. ...	Asst. Engr., 1st grade...	Exe. Engr., 4th grade ...	Sub. *pro tem.*	14th " "
Lieut. H. Appleton, R.E. ...	Asst. Engr., 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*	Asst. Engr., 1st grade...	Permanent	14th " "
Lieut. J. E. Dickie, R.E. ...	Asst. Engr., 2nd grade	Asst. Engr., 1st grade ...	Sub. *pro tem.*	14th " "
Major W. G. Nicholson, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 2nd grade	Exe. Engr., 1st grade ...	"	26th May, 1883.
Capt. H. W. Duperier, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 3rd grade.	Exe. Engr., 2nd grade	"	26th " "
Capt. C. H. Brookes, R.E. ...	Exe. Engr., 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.*	Exe. Engr., 3rd grade...	"	26th " "
Lieut. W. H. Chippindall, R.E.	Asst. Engr., 1st grade .	Exe. Engr., 4th grade...	"	26th " "
Lieut. G. H. B. Gordon, R.E. ...	Asst. Engr., 2nd grade	Asst. Engr., 1st grade...	"	26th " "

G. CHESNEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 2nd July 1883.

No. 163.—Mr. J. C. Ledger, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, sub. *pro tem.*, of the Railway Branch, is transferred from the Establishment under the Agent, Governor General, Central India, to that under the Director General of Railways.

No. 164.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 133, dated 11th April 1881, the services of Babu Mutty Lall Dey, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Madras in the Railway Branch.

The 5th July 1883.

No. 165.—Mr. E. F. Gordon, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Railway Branch, passed the Departmental Standard Examination in Hindustani on the 16th June 1883.

No. 166.—The services of Mr. J. W. Brassington, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Rajputana, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Punjab Government.

The 6th July 1883.

No. 168.—Mr. E. Holdwell (Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade), Honorary Assistant Engineer, is transferred permanently to the Madras Public Works Department Establishment.

W. S. TREVOR, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 22nd June, 1883, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. IX OF 1883.

THE CENTRAL PROVINCES TENANCY ACT, 1883.

CONTENTS.

PREAMBLE.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

SECTIONS.

1. Short title.
   Local extent.
   Commencement.
2. Repeal of Acts.
3. Definitions.

CHAPTER II.

OF TENANTS GENERALLY.

A.—Classification of Tenants.

4. Classes of tenants.

B.—Provisions relating to Rent.

5. Presumption as to amount of rent payable.
6. Date from which order fixing rent operates.
7. Time for payment of rents.
8. Rents payable to a number of landlords.
9. Power to deposit rent in certain cases with Revenue-officer.

SECTIONS.

10. Effect of depositing rent.
11. Penalty for levy of anything in excess of rent by landlord.
12. Penalty for refusing receipt, or giving defective receipt.
13. Enhancement of rent when productive power of holding increased by landlord.
14. Power to alter rent when holding is increased, diminished or deteriorated.
15. Power to alter rent in case of new assessment.
16. Commutation of rent payable in kind.

C.—Of the Landlord's Lien on the Produce of a Holding.

17. Definition of produce of a holding.
18. Power of landlord, by notice, to prohibit removal of produce.
19. Contents and service of notice; time for which it remains in force.
20. Right to reap, &c., produce not affected.
21. Effect of instituting suit for rent while notice is in force.
22. Procedure when produce is under attachment.
23. Conflict between rights of superior and inferior landlords.
24. Penalty for illegal distraint by landlord, and for illegal removal of produce.

D.—Commissions for dividing or estimating Crops.

25. Commission for dividing or estimating crops.
26. Appointment of assessors, &c.
27. Remedy for error in division.
28. Procedure when crop has been estimated or appraised.

E.—Of Improvements and Compensation therefor.

29. Right to make improvements.
30. Liability to pay to tenant on ejectment compensation for improvements.
31. Assessment of compensation.
32. Avoidance of provisions barring right to make, or be compensated for, improvements.

SECTIONS.

F.—Miscellaneous.

33. Surrender of holdings.
34. Where land uncultivated and rent unpaid, tenant's right to be deemed surrendered.
35. Tenant taking thíka or farm.

CHAPTER III.

OF ABSOLUTE OCCUPANCY-TENANTS.

36. Definition of absolute occupancy-tenant.
37. Rents fixed for period of settlement.
38. Right heritable and transferable after notice to landlord, who may claim to purchase.
39. Absolute occupancy-tenant not liable to ejectment.
40. Rent first charge on holding.

CHAPTER IV.

OF OCCUPANCY-TENANTS.

41. Definition of occupancy-tenant.
42. Cases in which ex-proprietors become occupancy-tenants of their sír-land.
43. Devolution and transfer of occupancy-right.
44. Rent of occupancy-tenant to be fixed at settlement.
45. Fixation of rents during currency of settlement in Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpúr.
46. Enhancement during currency of settlement in other districts.
47. Tenant's improvements how treated in fixing rent.
48. Grounds for ejectment.
49. Tenant changing land in accordance with village-custom.
50. Tenant changing land in other cases.

CHAPTER V.

OF SUB-TENANTS.

51. Definition of sub-tenant.
52. Tenure according to agreement.

CHAPTER VI.

OF ORDINARY TENANTS.

53. Definition of ordinary tenant.
54. Rent of ordinary tenant regulated by agreement.
55. Grounds on which an ordinary tenant may be ejected.
56. Notice of enhancement to be served through Civil Court.
57. Liability of tenant to ejectment in default of his agreeing to enhancement.
58. Procedure in ejectment-suit.
59. Conditions on which ejectment-decree is to be executed.
60. Fresh proceedings not to be taken for seven years.
61. Devolution and transfer of ordinary tenancy.
62. Obligation of landlord to confer occupancy-rights on ordinary tenant.

CHAPTER VII.

JURISDICTION AND PROCEDURE.

63. Jurisdiction of Civil Courts barred in certain cases.

SECTIONS.

64. Procedure on applications to Revenue and Settlement-officers, and appeals from their orders.
65. Jurisdiction of Civil Courts in suits between landlords and tenants.
66. Power to direct that suits between landlords and tenants be entered in separate register.
67. Plaint in such suits.
68. Legal practitioners' fees not allowed, unless for special reasons.
69. Set-off when allowed in suits for arrears.
70. Interest on arrears.
71. No appeal in certain suits for arrears.
72. Ejectment for non-payment of an arrear due under a decree.
73. Power of Court to deal with cases of drought or other calamity in suits for arrears.
74. Relief against forfeitures.
75. Rights of ejected tenant in respect of crops and land prepared for sowing.
76. Payment by tenant for occupation of land under section 75.
77. All claims between landlord and tenant to be determined in ejectment-proceedings.
78. Procedure when, on ejectment, money is due by the landlord to the tenant.
79. Ejectment decrees and orders to have effect from beginning of agricultural year.
80. Applications to measure or ascertain condition of holdings.
81. Limitation in suits by tenant to recover possession.

CHAPTER VIII.

POWER TO MAKE RULES.

82. Rules by Chief Commissioner.

SCHEDULE—ACTS REPEALED.

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Agricultural Tenancies in the Central Provinces.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to agricultural tenancies in the Central Provinces; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883: and

Local extent.

(2) It extends to all the territories for the time being administered by the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, except those specified in the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874, Schedule I, Part VI. XIV of 1874

Commencement.

(3) This Act shall come into force on such day as the Chief Commissioner, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may by notification in the local official Gazette direct.

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter II.—Of Tenants generally.

Nevertheless, any notification, rule, order or appointment to an office may be made under this Act at any time after the passing thereof, but shall not take effect before this Act comes into force.

Repeal of Acts.

2. On and from the day on which this Act comes into force, the Acts mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed.

Definitions.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,—

(1) "land" means land which is let or occupied for agricultural purposes or for purposes subservient to agriculture, and includes the sites of buildings appurtenant to such land:

(2) "tenant" means a person who holds land of another person, and is, or, but for a special contract, would be, liable to pay rent for that land to that other person. But it does not include a farmer, mortgagee or thikadár of proprietary rights:

Explanation.—An inferior proprietor is not, as such a tenant:

(3) "landlord" means the person of whom a tenant holds land, and to whom the tenant is, or, but for a special contract, would be, liable to pay rent for that land:

(4) "rent" means whatever is paid, delivered or rendered, in money, kind or service, by a tenant on account of the use or occupation of land let to him:

(5) "pay," "payable," and "payment," used with reference to rent, include "deliver," "deliverable" and "delivery":

(6) "arrear" means an instalment or part of an instalment of rent which is not paid on or before the date on which it is payable.

(7) "holding" means a parcel of land held by a tenant of a landlord under one lease or one set of conditions:

(8) "improvement" means, with reference to a holding, any work which adds to the letting-value of the holding, which is suitable to the holding and consistent with the purpose for which it was let, and which, if not executed on the holding, is either executed directly for its benefit, or is, after execution, made directly beneficial to it:

Explanation I.—It includes the reclaiming, enclosing or clearing of lands for agricultural purposes; but it does not include such embankments, temporary wells and water-channels as are made by tenants in the ordinary course of agriculture; and no work executed by the tenant of a holding is an improvement if it substantially diminishes the value of any other part of the estate of his landlord:

Explanation II.—A work which benefits several holdings may be deemed to be, with respect to each of them, an improvement:

(9) "Revenue-officer" and "Settlement-officer," in any provision of this Act, mean respectively such Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer appointed under the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881, as the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, direct by name or by virtue of [illegible] Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer (as the case may be) under that provision: XVIII of 1881.

(10) "agricultural year" means the year commencing on the first day of June, or on such other date as the Chief Commissioner may, in the case of any specified local area, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint:

(11) "sír-land" means—

(*a*) land recorded as "sír" in the papers of the last preceding settlement of the local area in which the land is situate;

(*b*) land not so recorded, but which has been cultivated by the proprietor or one of the proprietors thereof for a period of not less than twelve consecutive years;

(*c*) waste land which has been broken up by the proprietor or one of the proprietors thereof, and cultivated by him for a period of not less than six consecutive years; and

(*d*) the "bhegra" lands of Semlalpár:

Explanation.—Land which has, after the date of the above-mentioned settlement, or the expiration of the above-mentioned period of twelve years or six years (as the case may be), been for a period of six consecutive years unoccupied by the proprietor is not sír-land. Land is not unoccupied by the proprietor when it is leased out by him with an express reservation of his sír-rights:

(12) "village" includes any tract of land which, at the last settlement of the same, has been recognised as a village, or which the Chief Commissioner declares to be a village for the purposes of the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881: and XVIII of 18

(13) "record-of-rights" includes the supplementary administration paper prepared at or after the time of making a settlement before the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881, came into force. XVIII 1881.

CHAPTER II.

OF TENANTS GENERALLY.

A.—Classification of Tenants.

Classes of tenants.

4. There shall be four classes of tenants, namely:—

(1) Absolute occupancy-tenants;

(2) Occupancy-tenants;

(3) Sub-tenants;

(4) Ordinary tenants.

B.—Provisions relating to Rent.

Presumption as to amount of rent payable.

5. In all suits and proceedings between landlord and tenant, the rent payable for any agricultural year by a tenant in respect of his holding shall be presumed, until the contrary is proved, to be the rent payable in respect of the holding in the agricultural year immediately preceding that year.

Date from which order fixing rent operates.

6. An order fixing, altering or commuting the rent of a holding on an application under this Act may, as the officer making the order thinks fit, take effect from the commencement of the agricultural year next following the date of the application, or from any subsequent

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter II.—Of Tenants generally.

day, or, if it is made on the ground of increase, diminution or deterioration of the holding, from the date of that increase, diminution or deterioration, or from any subsequent day.

Time for payment of rents.

7. Rents shall be payable in such instalments and on such dates as the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, prescribe, and, in the absence of any such notification applicable to the case, according to the contract between the parties, or, where there is no such contract, according to local usage.

Rents payable to a number of landlords.

8. When two or more persons are landlords of a tenant in respect of the same holding, the tenant, subject to any rule which the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, make in this behalf, and to any contract between the parties, shall not be bound to pay part of the rent of his holding to one of those persons and part to another or others; and, subject as aforesaid, those persons shall, if the tenant so desires, appoint one of their number or some other person to receive the rent.

Power to deposit rent in certain cases with Revenue-officer.

9. (*a*) When a landlord refuses to accept any instalment of rent payable in money when tendered to him by a tenant,

(*b*) when a tenant, in the case mentioned in section eight, desires the appointment of a person to receive rent payable in money and the appointment is not made within a reasonable time, and

(*c*) when a tenant in any case is doubtful as to the person entitled to receive rent payable in money,

the tenant may apply to a Revenue-officer for permission to deposit in his court the amount of rent which he believes to be due; and that officer shall receive the deposit, if it appears to him, after examining the applicant, that he had reasonable grounds for making the application, and that it was made in good faith, and if the applicant pays the fee (if any) chargeable for the issue of the notice next hereinafter referred to.

Effect of depositing rent.

10. (*1*) When a deposit has been so received, it shall be deemed to be a payment made by the tenant to his landlord in respect of rent due.

(*2*) The officer receiving the deposit shall give notice of the receipt thereof to every person who he has reason to believe claims or is entitled to the deposit, and may pay the amount thereof to any person appearing to him to be entitled to the same, or may, if he thinks fit, retain the deposit pending the decision of a Civil Court as to the person so entitled.

(*3*) No suit or other proceeding shall be instituted against the Secretary of State for India in Council, or against any officer of the Government, in respect of anything done by a Revenue-officer under this section; but nothing in this clause shall prevent any person entitled to receive the amount of any such deposit from recovering the same from a person to whom it has been paid by a Revenue-officer.

Penalty for levy of anything in excess of rent by landlord.

11. Every tenant from whom, except under any special enactment for the time being in force, anything is levied by his landlord in excess of the rent legally payable, shall be entitled to recover from the landlord such sum as the Court thinks fit, not exceeding five hundred rupees, or, when double the amount or value of what is so levied exceeds five hundred rupees, not exceeding double that amount or value.

Penalty for refusing receipt, or giving defective receipt.

12. If a landlord refuses a receipt for rent paid by a tenant, or grants a receipt but refuses or neglects to specify therein the holding, and the period or crop, in respect of which the payment is made, or the amount paid, the tenant shall be entitled to recover from him such sum, not exceeding double the amount or value of the rent so paid, as the Court thinks fit.

Enhancement of rent when productive power of holding increased by landlord.

13. Notwithstanding anything in the record-of-rights, but subject to any contract in writing between the parties, the rent payable in money by any tenant may, on the application of his landlord, be enhanced by a Revenue-officer on the ground that an improvement has been made in accordance with this Act by or at the expense of the landlord whereby the productive power of the holding has been increased.

Power to alter rent when holding is increased, diminished or deteriorated.

14. When the area of a holding the rent of which is payable in money is increased or diminished by the encroachment of the tenant or the landlord, or by fluvial action or otherwise, or the soil of a holding is, without the fault of the tenant, permanently deteriorated by a deposit of sand or other like calamity, a Revenue-officer may, notwithstanding anything in the record-of-rights or any contract between the parties, by order, on the application of the landlord or of the tenant, alter the rent with reference to that increase, diminution or deterioration.

Power to alter rent in case of new assessment.

15. When a landlord grants a lease, or makes any other contract fixing the rent of any holding, and, while the lease or contract is in force,—

(*a*) land-revenue is for the first time made payable in respect of the holding, or

(*b*) land-revenue having been previously payable in respect of it, the revenue payable when the lease or other contract was granted or made is increased or diminished,

a Revenue-officer may, notwithstanding anything in the record-of-rights or any contract between the parties, by order, on the application of the landlord or of the tenant, alter the rent with reference to the revenue.

Commutation of rent payable in kind.

16. (*1*) In all cases in which an absolute occupancy-tenant or occupancy-tenant pays rent for a holding in kind, or on the estimated value of a portion of the crop, or at rates varying with the crop, or partly in one of those ways and partly in another or others, the landlord or tenant may, notwithstanding anything in the record-of-rights or any contract between the parties, other than a contract whereby waste-land is let for the purpose of reclamation, apply during the progress of a settlement to a Settlement-officer, or at any other time, if the Chief Commissioner thinks fit to appoint a Revenue-officer in this behalf, [illegible]

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter II.—Of Tenants generally.

officer, to commute the rent to a fixed money-rent.

(2) On the receipt of the application, the officer shall determine the sum to be paid as money-rent, and shall order that the tenant shall, in lieu of paying his rent in kind, or otherwise as aforesaid, pay the sum so determined.

(3) If the application is opposed, the officer may, for reasons to be recorded by him in writing, refuse to grant the same.

C.—Of the Landlord's Lien on the Produce of a Holding.

Definition of produce of a holding.

17. In sections eighteen to twenty-four (both inclusive) the produce of a holding means—

(*a*) crops and other products of the earth standing or ungathered on the holding;

(*b*) crops and other products of the earth which have been grown on the holding and have been reaped or gathered and are deposited on the holding or on a threshing-ground, or are stored, by a tenant of the land on which they have been grown, within the village in which the holding is situate or the tenant resides.

Power of landlord, by notice, to prohibit removal of produce.

18. Where an arrear is due in respect of a holding, the landlord may, by notice served as hereinafter provided, prohibit the removal of the produce of the holding.

Provided that—

first, such a prohibition shall not be made on account of an arrear which has been due for a longer period than one year, or in respect of any produce which is under attachment by order of any Court; and

secondly, such a prohibition shall not be made more than once in respect of the same produce on account of the same arrear.

Contents and service of notice; time for which it remains in force.

19. (*1*) Every notice under section eighteen shall be in writing, and shall specify the amount of the arrear claimed, the period for which, and the holding in respect of which, it is claimed, and, when an amount in excess of the rent payable by the tenant in the last preceding agricultural year is claimed, the decree, order or agreement, as the case may be, for the payment of that amount.

(2) The notice shall be served on the person in charge of the produce, and shall remain in force until the rent specified in the notice is paid, or, if that rent is not previously paid, until the expiration of thirty-five days from the date of service of the notice.

Right to reap, &c., produce not affected.

20. A notice under section eighteen shall not prevent any person from reaping, gathering or storing any produce, or doing any other act necessary for its due preservation.

Effect of instituting suit for rent while notice is in force.

21. If, while the notice is in force, the landlord institutes a suit for the recovery of the rent, the notice shall continue in force until the Court trying the suit otherwise directs; and, if the landlord obtains a decree in the suit, the amount of that decree shall be the first charge upon the produce.

Procedure when produce is under attachment.

22. (*1*) If the produce of the holding on which the arrear is due is under attachment by order of a Court, the landlord may apply to the Court to sell the produce and pay to him out of the proceeds of the sale thereof the amount or value of—

(*a*) any rent which has fallen due to him in respect of the holding within the year immediately preceding the application; and

(*b*) the instalment of rent falling due next after the time at which in the ordinary course of agriculture the produce would be harvested.

And the Court, if on inquiry it finds the landlord's claim to the whole or any part of the rent to be proved, shall sell the produce or such portion thereof as it may deem necessary, and shall apply the proceeds of the sale in the first instance to satisfy the claim.

(2) The finding of a Court on an inquiry under this section shall have the force of a decision in a suit between the parties.

Conflict between rights of superior and inferior landlords.

23. Where land is sublet and any conflict arises under sections eighteen to twenty-two (both inclusive) between the rights of a superior and of an inferior landlord, the right of the superior landlord shall prevail.

Penalty for illegal distraint by landlord, and for illegal removal of produce.

24. (*1*) Any landlord of a holding who distrains or attempts to distrain the produce of the holding, or prevents or attempts to prevent, otherwise than in accordance with this Act, any person from reaping, gathering, storing, removing or otherwise dealing with any produce of the holding, and

where a notice in respect of the produce of a holding has been served under section nineteen and is in force, any person who, knowing or having reason to believe that the notice is in force, removes, attempts to remove or abets the removal of the produce, except for any of the purposes mentioned in section twenty,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

(2) Nothing in this section, and, except as provided in section 516 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, no proceeding under this section, shall affect the right of any person to recover compensation in a civil suit.

D.—Commissions for dividing or estimating Crops.

Commission for dividing or estimating crops.

25. Whenever rent is taken by division of the produce, or by estimate or appraisement of the crop, if either the landlord or the tenant neglects to attend, either personally or by agent, at the proper time for making the division, estimate or appraisement, or if there is a dispute about the division of the produce or the quantity or value of the crop, a Revenue-officer may, on the application of either party, issue a commission to such person as the officer thinks fit, directing him to divide, estimate or appraise the crop.

Appointment of assessors, &c.

26. (*1*) When a Revenue-officer appoints a Commissioner for any of the purposes mentioned in section twenty-five, the officer

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter II.—Of Tenants generally.

may, in his discretion, direct the Commissioner to associate with himself any other persons as assessors, and may give him instructions regarding the number, qualifications and mode of selecting those assessors (if any), and the procedure to be followed in making the division, estimate or appraisement.

(2) The Commissioner so appointed shall make the division, estimate or appraisement in accordance with those instructions.

Remedy for error in division.

27. (1) If in any division under the foregoing provisions either party receives less than the share to which he is entitled, he may, within three months from the date on which the division is completed, institute a suit against the other party to recover the value of the additional portion of the crop due to him at the price which prevailed on that date.

(2) If no such suit is instituted within the said period of three months, the division shall for all purposes be deemed as between the parties thereto to have been rightly made.

Procedure when crop has been estimated or appraised.

28. (1) When a crop has been estimated or appraised under the foregoing provisions, the estimate or appraisement shall be reduced to writing and signed by the Commissioner making the same, and shall be submitted to the Revenue-officer by whom the commission was issued.

(2) The Revenue-officer shall consider the Commissioner's report, and, after such hearing and inquiry (if any) as he may think necessary, shall pass an order thereon either confirming or varying the estimate or appraisement, and that order shall be final.

E.—Of Improvements and Compensation therefor.

Right to make improvements.

29. (1) In respect of the holding of an absolute occupancy-tenant or occupancy-tenant, the tenant, and in respect of the holding of an ordinary tenant, the landlord, shall be entitled to make improvements.

(2) If an ordinary tenant whose holding does not consist entirely of sír land, or the landlord of an absolute occupancy-tenant or of an occupancy-tenant, desires that any improvement be made in respect of the holding, he may deliver, or cause to be delivered, to his landlord or tenant, as the case may be, a request in writing calling upon him to make the improvement within a reasonable time, and, if he is unable or neglects to comply with that request, may, subject to such rules of procedure as the Chief Commissioner from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, prescribes in this behalf, make the improvement himself.

Liability to pay to tenant on ejectment compensation for improvements.

30. (1) If an absolute occupancy-tenant, occupancy-tenant or ordinary tenant is ejected from his holding, he shall be entitled to compensation for improvements which he or the persons under whom he claims may have made in accordance with this Act or with the landlord's consent otherwise than in accordance with this Act, and for which compensation has not already been made.

(2) Whenever a Court makes a decree or order for the ejectment of a tenant, it shall determine the amount of compensation (if any) due under this section to the tenant for improvements, and shall make the decree or order of ejectment conditional on the payment of that amount to the tenant.

(3) No compensation shall be claimable under this section for an improvement where the tenant has made the improvement in pursuance of a contract binding him, in consideration of some substantial advantage to be obtained by him, to make the improvement without compensation, and has obtained that advantage.

(4) Improvements made by a tenant before this Act comes into force, in lands other than sír-land, shall be deemed to have been made in accordance with this Act, unless it is shown that the landlord forbade the tenant to make the improvement, and was ready to make it himself.

Assessment of compensation.

31. (1) The Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, make rules requiring the Court to associate with itself, for the purpose of estimating the compensation to be awarded under section thirty for an improvement, such number of assessors as the Chief Commissioner thinks fit, and determining the qualifications of those assessors and the mode of selecting them.

(2) In estimating the compensation to be awarded under section thirty for an improvement, regard shall be had—

(a) to the amount by which the letting value, or the produce of the holding, or the value of that produce, is increased by the improvement;

(b) to the labour and capital required for the making of such an improvement; and

(c) to any reduction or remission of rent or other advantage given by the landlord to the tenant in consideration of the improvement.

(3) When the amount of the compensation has been assessed, the landlord and tenant may, if they think fit, agree that, instead of being paid wholly in money, it shall be made wholly or partly in some other way.

Avoidance of provisions barring right to make, or be compensated for, improvements.

32. An entry in the record-of-rights of any village or a stipulation in a contract providing—

(a) that a landlord shall be entitled to prevent a tenant from making, or to eject him for making, such improvements on his holding as he is entitled to make under this Act, or

(b) that a tenant ejected from his holding shall not be entitled to compensation for improvements in any case in which he would, under this Act, be entitled to such compensation,

shall be void.

F.—Miscellaneous.

Surrender of holdings.

33. (1) Any tenant not bound by a lease or other agreement for a fixed period may, at the end of any agricultural year, surrender his holding.

(2) But notwithstanding the surrender, the tenant shall continue to be liable for the agricultural year next following the date of the surrender for the rent of the holding, unless he gives to his landlord, at least thirty days before he surrenders, notice of his intention to surrender.

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter III.—Of Absolute Occupancy-tenants; Chapter IV.—Of Occupancy-tenants.

(3) In the following cases, the Court shall presume that such notice was so given, that is to say :—

(a) if the tenant takes a new holding in the same village from the same landlord during the agricultural year next following the surrender ;

(b) if the tenant ceases, at least thirty days before the end of the agricultural year at the end of which the surrender is made, to reside in the village in which the surrendered holding is situate ; and

(c) if the landlord himself, at any time during the agricultural year next following the surrender, cultivates or lets to another tenant the holding or any part thereof.

Where land uncultivated and rent unpaid, tenant's right to be deemed surrendered.

34. Any tenant other than an absolute occupancy-tenant who leaves his holding uncultivated and the rent of it unpaid for a period of two years shall, at the expiration of that period, be deemed to have surrendered the holding :

Provided that, in reckoning that period, any time during which, owing to an inundation or any other accident to the land beyond the tenant's control, it may have been impossible to cultivate the land, shall be excluded.

Tenant taking thíka or farm.

35. When a person, at the time of taking a thíka or farm, is a tenant of any land comprised therein, his interest as tenant shall not be affected by reason only of his taking the thíka or farm.

CHAPTER III.

OF ABSOLUTE OCCUPANCY-TENANTS.

Definition of absolute occupancy-tenant.

36. Every person who, on the day when this Act comes into force, is the tenant of any holding in respect of which he, or a person whose rights he has acquired, has been recorded in any record-of-rights made before that day as an "absolute occupancy-raiyat," or in terms equivalent thereto, shall, unless he has parted with his rights, be deemed to be an absolute occupancy-tenant of that holding.

Rents fixed for period of settlement.

37. (1) The rent of the holding of every absolute occupancy-tenant shall be fixed by the Settlement-officer at each settlement of the area in which the holding is comprised, and the rent so fixed shall not be altered during the currency of the settlements, except under the provisions of section thirteen, section fourteen or section sixteen.

(2) The rent payable by any such tenant in respect of his holding when this Act comes into force shall be deemed to have been fixed at the last preceding settlement of the area in which his holding is comprised.

Right heritable and transferable after notice to landlord, who may claim to purchase.

38. (1) The right of an absolute occupancy-tenant in his holding shall on his death devolve as if it were land, and shall be transferable subject to the conditions contained in this section.

(2) If an absolute occupancy-tenant intends to transfer any right in his holding by sale or gift, or by mortgaging the same for a sum which, together with the interest payable thereon during the five years immediately succeeding the mortgage and the previous sums (if any) secured by mortgage of it, would exceed eight times the annual rent of the holding, or by sub-letting the same in consideration of a fine or premium exceeding five times that rent, he shall give to his landlord a written notice of his intention, and shall defer proceeding with the transfer for a period of one month from the date on which the notice is given.

(3) If the intended transfer is by sale or gift, the landlord may within the said period of one month—

(a) claim to purchase the absolute occupancy-right at such value as a Revenue-officer may, on application made to him in this behalf, fix ; or

(b) permit the sale or gift, in which case he shall be entitled to a sum equal to the rent for one year, and that sum shall be a first charge on the holding.

(4) If the intended transfer is by mortgage or sub-lease, the landlord may, within the said period of one month, claim to purchase the absolute occupancy-right at such value as a Revenue-officer may, on application made to him in this behalf, fix.

(5) When the right of an absolute occupancy-tenant in his holding is sold by order of a Civil Court in execution of a decree other than a decree obtained by his landlord, the landlord shall have the same right of pre-emption as is given in the case of a sale by sub-section (3), clause (a).

(6) When an application is made to a Revenue-officer under this section to fix the value of an absolute occupancy-right which is already mortgaged, he shall fix the value of the right as if it were not mortgaged ; and if the landlord purchases the right, the mortgage-debt shall be a charge on the purchase-money in exoneration of the land.

(7) Any transfer made in contravention of this section shall be void.

Absolute occupancy-tenant not liable to ejectment.

39. Notwithstanding any contract to the contrary, or any provision of a record-of-rights, an absolute occupancy-tenant shall not be ejected from his holding by his landlord as such for any cause.

Rent first charge on holding.

40. The rent of the holding of an absolute occupancy-tenant shall be a first charge on that holding.

CHAPTER IV.

OF OCCUPANCY-TENANTS.

Definition of occupancy-tenant.

41. Every tenant who, when this Act comes into force, has held the same land continuously for twelve years, otherwise than as an absolute occupancy-tenant or a sub-tenant, and every person who is, when this Act comes into force, or thereafter becomes, a tenant (not being an absolute occupancy-tenant or a sub-tenant) of land in the districts of Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpúr, shall be deemed to be an occupancy-tenant of that land :

Provided that the land is not—

(a) sír-land, or

(b) held in lieu of wages, or

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter IV.—Of Occupancy-tenants.

(*c*) held, in any district other than Sambalpúr, under a written lease in which it is expressly agreed that a right of occupancy in the land shall not be acquired, or that the tenant shall quit the land at the termination of the lease.

Explanation I.—The occupation of any person from whom the tenant inherited his holding is, for the purposes of this section, deemed to be the occupation of the tenant.

Explanation II.—Where, by the custom of any village, the holdings of tenants are, or have been, liable to periodical redistribution, land which a tenant or any person under whom he claims has, in accordance with that custom, from time to time, received in exchange for land previously held by him is, for the purpose of calculating, under this section, the period of twelve years, deemed to be the same land as the land which he held before the exchange.

Cases in which ex-proprietors become occupancy-tenants of their sír-land.

42. Every person whose proprietary rights in land comprising sír-land are, after this Act comes into force, transferred in any of the following cases, namely:—

(*a*) when he sells those rights without expressly agreeing to transfer his right to cultivate the sír-land,

(*b*) when those rights are sold for an arrear of land-revenue,

(*c*) when those rights are sold in execution of any decree which does not expressly direct the sale of his rights in the sír-land,

shall become an occupancy-tenant of that sír-land, and the rent payable by him as such shall be fixed by a Revenue-officer on application made by him or by his landlord.

Devolution and transfer of occupancy-right.

43. (*1*) When an occupancy-tenant dies his right in his holding shall devolve as if it were land: Provided that, except in the districts of Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpúr, a collateral relative of the tenant shall not be entitled to inherit that right, unless at the death of the tenant he was a co-sharer in the holding.

(*2*) A transaction by which an occupancy-tenant attempts to effect a transfer of property in respect of his holding by sale, gift, mortgage, sub-lease or otherwise shall be void, unless—

(*a*) it is entered into with his landlord's consent, or

(*b*) the transfer is one to a person who, if he survived the tenant, would inherit the right of occupancy, or between persons in favour of whom, as co-sharers, the right of occupancy originally arose, or who have become, by succession, co-sharers therein;

(*3*) The right of an occupancy-tenant shall not be sold in execution of a decree.

Rent of occupancy-tenant to be fixed at settlement.

44. The rent of the holding of every occupancy-tenant shall be fixed by the Settlement-officer at each settlement of the area in which the holding is comprised.

Fixation of rents during currency of settlement in Chánda, Nimar and Sambalpúr.

45. (*1*) In the districts of Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpúr, the rent fixed under section forty-four shall not be altered during the currency of any settlement except under section thirteen, section fourteen or section sixteen.

(*2*) The rent payable in respect of his holding by a tenant in any of those districts when this Act comes into force shall be deemed to have been fixed at the last preceding settlement of the area in which that holding is comprised.

(*3*) Subject to the provisions of sections thirteen, fourteen and sixteen, the rent payable by any such tenant in respect of a holding acquired by him after this Act comes into force shall, pending the recurrence of the settlement of the area in which that holding is comprised, be the rent fixed by agreement between him and his landlord at the time he acquires that holding, or, in the absence of any such agreement, or on the expiration of the term for which any such agreement has been made, a rent fixed by a Revenue-officer on the application of either party at the following rate, that is to say:—

(*a*) in the districts of Chánda and Nimár, the rate which the Chief Commissioner has prescribed for occupancy-tenants and caused to be entered in the record-of-rights at the last settlement;

(*b*) in the district of Sambalpúr, the average rate at which at the last settlement the rents of other lands in the same village of similar quality and possessing similar advantages were fixed.

Enhancement during currency of settlement in other districts.

46. The rate of rent payable in money by an occupancy-tenant in any other district may, during the currency of a settlement, on the application of the landlord to a Revenue-officer, be enhanced subject to the rules made under section eighty-two and for the time being in force:

Provided that—

(*a*) an application under this section shall not be entertained when the rent of the holding has within the ten years immediately preceding the application been fixed under any provision of this Act except section thirteen or section fourteen, or under any Act hereby repealed; and

(*b*) no order shall be made on any such application which is inconsistent with any contract made after the last preceding settlement and still in force.

Tenant's improvements how treated in fixing rent.

47. When the land in respect of which an application is made under section forty-five or section forty-six has been improved in accordance with this Act by the agency or at the expense of the tenant, the quality and advantages of the land shall, notwithstanding anything contained in any contract or record-of-rights, be deemed, for the purposes of that section, to be the quality and advantages which the land would have had and enjoyed if the improvements had not been made.

Grounds for ejectment.

48. Notwithstanding any contract to the contrary or any provision of a record-of-rights, an occupancy-tenant shall not be ejected from his holding by his landlord as such except,—

(*a*) as hereinafter provided, for arrears of rent; or

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter V.—Of Sub-tenants; Chapter VI.—Of Ordinary Tenants.

(*b*) in execution of a decree of a Civil Court passed on the ground of his having diverted the land to non-agricultural purposes, or being chargeable with some other act or omission which, by custom not inconsistent with this Act or with any other enactment for the time being in force, renders him liable to be ejected.

Tenant changing land in accordance with village-custom.

49. A tenant having a right of occupancy in land situate in a village in which the holdings of tenants are by custom liable to periodical redistribution, and exchanging that land in accordance with the custom for other land situate in the same village, shall be deemed to have a right of occupancy in the land so taken in exchange.

Tenant changing land in other cases.

50. If a tenant having a right of occupancy in any land ceases to hold that land, and thereupon commences to hold other land of the same landlord, under circumstances from which it may be inferred that the tenant has accepted that other land in lieu of, and on the same conditions as, the land which he has ceased to hold, he shall, in the absence of a written agreement to the contrary, be deemed to have a right of occupancy in the land which he so commences to hold.

CHAPTER V.

OF SUB-TENANTS.

Definition of sub-tenant.

51. A tenant who holds land from another tenant is a sub-tenant of that land.

Tenure according to agreement.

52. A sub-tenant shall, subject to the provisions of sections seven, fourteen and fifteen, hold on such terms as may be agreed upon between him and his landlord.

CHAPTER VI.

OF ORDINARY TENANTS.

Definition of ordinary tenant.

53. Every tenant who is not an absolute occupancy-tenant, or an occupancy-tenant or a sub-tenant, is an ordinary tenant.

Rent of ordinary tenant regulated by agreement.

54. An ordinary tenant shall, subject to the provisions of sections fourteen and fifteen, pay such rent as may, from time to time, be fixed by agreement between him and his landlord.

Grounds on which an ordinary tenant may be ejected.

55. Notwithstanding any contract to the contrary or any provision of a record-of-rights, an ordinary tenant shall not be ejected from his holding by his landlord as such except—

(*a*) as provided in the case of an occupancy-tenant in section forty-eight;

(*b*) in execution of a decree for ejectment passed on the ground that he has refused to agree to an enhancement of rent demanded by his landlord in accordance with the provisions next hereinafter contained, or that the holding consists entirely of sír-land.

Notice of enhancement to be served through Civil Court.

56. When a landlord wishes to enhance the rent of an ordinary tenant whose holding does not consist entirely of sír-land and whose rent is not fixed by an agreement in writing, and the tenant does not agree to the enhancement, the landlord may cause to be served on the tenant through the Civil Court a notice of the enhancement not less than six months before the commencement of the agricultural year in which the landlord desires the enhancement to take effect.

Liability of tenant to ejectment in default of his agreeing to enhancement.

57. (*1*) If, within the period of one month from the service of a notice under section fifty-six, the tenant on whom the notice has been served presents to the Court issuing the notice a statement in writing declaring his willingness to pay the enhanced rent, he shall be deemed to have agreed to pay that rent from the commencement of the agricultural year next following.

(*2*) If the tenant does not, within the said period of one month, present to the Court a statement as aforesaid, the landlord may, not less than ten weeks before the commencement of the agricultural year next following, institute a suit to eject the tenant.

Procedure in ejectment-suit.

58. (*1*) If in any suit instituted under section fifty-seven the defendant appears and agrees to pay the enhanced rent demanded, his agreement shall thereupon be recorded, and he shall not be ejected, but shall be liable to pay that rent from the commencement of the agricultural year next following the date of the agreement.

(*2*) If the defendant does not appear, or if, on appearing, he does not agree to pay the enhanced rent demanded, the Court may pass a decree for his ejectment on condition that, within fifteen days from the date of the decree, the landlord deposits in Court—

(*a*) such sum (if any) as may be declared by the decree to be payable to the tenant as compensation for improvements; and

(*b*) a further sum as compensation for disturbance equal to seven times the yearly increase of rent demanded.

Conditions on which ejectment-decree is to be executed.

59. (*1*) If these sums are so deposited, the decree shall be made absolute, and the sums deposited shall be paid to the tenant.

(*2*) If these sums are not so deposited, the decree shall become void, and the tenant shall remain in occupation of his holding at the rent previously paid by him.

Fresh proceedings not to be taken for seven years.

60. When a tenant has agreed, under section fifty-seven or section fifty-eight, to pay an enhanced rent for his holding, or a decree to eject him from that holding has become void under section fifty-nine, no notice shall be served on him under section fifty-six in respect of that holding during the seven years next following the date on which he has so agreed, or the decree has become void, as the case may be.

Devolution and transfer of ordinary tenancy.

61. (*1*) When an ordinary tenant dies, his right in his holding shall devolve as if it were land:

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter VII.—Jurisdiction and Procedure.

Provided that a collateral relative of the tenant shall not be entitled to inherit his right unless at the death of the tenant he was a co-sharer in the holding.

(2) A transaction by which an ordinary tenant attempts to effect a transfer of property in respect of his holding by sale, gift, mortgage, sub-lease or otherwise shall be void, unless it is entered into with his landlord's consent.

(3) The right of an ordinary tenant shall not be sold in execution of a decree.

Obligation of landlord to confer occupancy-rights on ordinary tenant.

62. (1) Notwithstanding any contract to the contrary, the landlord of any holding held by an ordinary tenant shall, at the request of the tenant and on the tender by the tenant to him of a sum equal to twice and one-half the annual rent payable in respect to the holding, together with the cost of preparing any instrument required for this purpose, confer upon the tenant the rights of an occupancy-tenant in respect of the holding; and when those rights have been so conferred, the rent of the tenant shall be deemed to be fixed under this Act, within the meaning of section forty-six, at the rate at which rent was payable by the tenant at the date of the request and tender:

Provided that the landlord may, upon any such request and tender being made to him, apply to a Revenue-officer to fix the rent of the holding for the purposes of this section; and if he proves to the satisfaction of the officer that the rate of rent payable in respect of the holding is less than the rate usually paid by ordinary tenants of holdings situate in the same or adjoining tahsíls for land of similar quality with like advantages, the officer shall fix the rent at the latter rate, and the rent so fixed shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be, and to have been at the date of the request and tender, the rent payable by the tenant.

(2) If a landlord, to whom a request and tender is made by a tenant under sub-section (1), refuses or neglects for a period of one month to confer the rights of an occupancy-tenant on the tenant, the tenant may deposit the sum aforesaid in the court of a Revenue-officer, and apply to that officer to confer upon him the rights of an occupancy-tenant in respect of the holding.

(3) The officer, after giving notice of the application to the landlord and hearing him if he appears, and making such inquiry as he thinks necessary, may execute any instrument required for conferring those rights upon the tenant, and the execution shall have the same effect as an execution by the landlord.

(4) A person upon whom the rights of an occupancy-tenant are conferred under this section shall be deemed to be an occupancy-tenant for the purposes of this Act.

(5) Nothing in this section shall apply to a holding consisting entirely of sír-land.

CHAPTER VII.

JURISDICTION AND PROCEDURE.

Jurisdiction of Civil Courts barred in certain cases.

63. No Court other than the Court of a Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer shall fix any rent or call in question any rent fixed by a Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer, or shall take cognizance of any dispute or matter in which any of the following applications might be made, namely:—

(a) applications for permission to deposit rent in Court (section nine);

(b) applications to enhance rent on account of improvements made by, or at the expense of, the landlord (section thirteen);

(c) applications to alter the rent of a holding on account of increase or diminution or deterioration of the holding, or of a new assessment of revenue (sections fourteen and fifteen);

(d) applications for the commutation of rents paid in kind (section sixteen);

(e) applications for a commission to divide, estimate or appraise a crop (section twenty-five);

(f) applications to fix the price at which a landlord may purchase in case of an intended transfer (section thirty-eight);

(g) applications to fix rent or confer occupancy-rights (section sixty-two);

(h) applications to measure or ascertain the condition of holdings (section eighty); and

(i) applications relating to such other matters as Revenue-officers or Settlement-officers are empowered to deal with under this Act or the rules made under this Act.

Procedure on applications to Revenue and Settlement-officers, and appeals from their orders.

64. (1) In fixing rents and disposing of the matters referred to in section sixty-three, Revenue-officers and Settlement-officers shall, as nearly as may be practicable, subject to the provisions of this Act, exercise the same powers and follow the same procedure as they exercise and follow under the Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881. XVIII of 1881.

(2) From every decision or order of a Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer fixing rent or disposing of any matter referred to in section sixty-three, an appeal shall lie as if that decision or order had been passed by that officer under the said Land-revenue Act.

Jurisdiction of Civil Courts in suits between landlords and tenants.

65. Except as provided in section sixty-three, the Civil Courts shall have jurisdiction in all suits between landlords and tenants as such:

Provided that—

(a) a Judge of a Civil Court of original jurisdiction shall not, unless he is also a Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer, hear any such suit; and

(b) the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, subject to the provisions of this Act, direct that all or any class of such suits shall be heard and determined only in such Courts competent to try the same as he thinks fit, and not otherwise.

Power to direct that suits between landlords and tenants be entered in separate register.

66. The Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, direct that all suits, or any specified class of suits, between landlords and tenants as such, shall not be registered in the registers of civil suits kept under the Code of Civil Procedure, but in such other registers as he may prescribe. XIV of 1882.

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter VII.—Jurisdiction and Procedure.

Plaint in such suits.

67. (*1*) In suits between landlords and tenants as such, the plaint shall, in addition to the matters mentioned in section 50 of the Code of Civil Procedure, specify the area of the land to which the suit relates, and, where the fields comprised in that land have been numbered in a Government survey, the number of each such field; and, in the case of suits for an arrear, the amount of the yearly rent and the instalments in which it is payable.

of 1882.

(*2*) When the land to which the suit relates comprises parts of numbered fields, or has not been divided into numbered fields, an accurate and sufficient description of the land and its boundaries shall be given in the plaint.

Legal practitioners' fees not allowed, unless for special reasons.

68. In suits between landlords and tenants as such, the fees of a legal practitioner shall not be allowed as costs, unless the Court considers, for reasons to be recorded by it in writing, that those fees ought to be allowed.

Set-off when allowed in suits for arrears.

69. No set-off shall be allowed in any suit for arrears unless the amount claimed as a set-off has been determined by a decree or order of a competent Court or of a Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer.

Interest on arrears.

70. In suits for arrears, interest on the arrears may be allowed up to the date of institution, at such rate, not exceeding twelve per cent. per annum, as the Court thinks fit.

No appeal in certain suits for arrears.

71. A decree or order passed in a suit for arrears, whether on appeal or otherwise, by a Judge of a Civil Court exercising powers not less than those of an Assistant Commissioner of the first class, as defined in the Central Provinces Courts Act, 1865, shall not be subject to appeal, unless—

of 1865.

(*a*) the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit exceeds one hundred rupees; or

(*b*) a question relating to a title to land, or some interest in land, has been determined as between parties having conflicting claims thereto.

Ejectment for non-payment of an arrear due under a decree.

72. (*1*) If a decree for an arrear is passed against a tenant other than an absolute occupancy-tenant and remains unsatisfied, the landlord may, at any time before the execution of the decree is barred by limitation, apply to the Court having authority to execute the decree to cause a notice to be served on the tenant, directing him either to pay the amount due under the decree not later than the expiration of the agricultural year, or to surrender his holding not later than that time.

(*2*) If that amount is not so paid, and the holding is not so surrendered, the Court may in its discretion, but subject to the provisions of this Act, make an order to eject the tenant from the holding.

Power of Court to deal with cases of drought or other calamity in suits for arrears.

73. (*1*) Where, in answer to a suit for an arrear, the tenant admits that the arrear is due, but pleads that the produce of his holding during the period in respect of which the arrear is claimed has been diminished or destroyed by drought, hail or other extraordinary calamity beyond his control, the Court in its discretion may, notwithstanding any contract to the contrary, allow in its decree any deduction from the arrear, and direct payment of the amount decreed (if any) in such instalments (if any) as it thinks fit.

(*2*) In any such case the Court may order that the provisions of section seventy-two shall not apply to the decree.

(*3*) In making a decree under this section the Court shall have regard to—

(*a*) the value of the produce of the holding for the whole agricultural year in respect of which the arrear accrued; and

(*b*) the proportion which the amount of rent payable for that year by the tenant bears to that value.

(*4*) If in any such suit it appears that the land-revenue of the village in which the holding is situate has been suspended or remitted on account of drought, hail or other extraordinary calamity in respect of the period for which the arrear is claimed, the Court shall presume, until the contrary is shown, that the diminution or destruction alleged by the tenant has taken place.

Relief against forfeitures.

74. (*1*) A suit for the ejectment of a tenant on the ground that he has done or omitted to do something for doing or omitting to do which he is liable to ejectment, or that he has broken a condition on breach of which he is, under the terms of a contract between him and the landlord, liable to ejectment, shall not be entertained unless the landlord has requested the tenant, where the damage or breach is capable of remedy, to remedy the same, and, in any case, to pay reasonable compensation for the damage or breach, and the tenant has failed to comply within a reasonable time with that request.

(*2*) A decree passed in favour of a landlord in any such suit shall declare the amount of compensation which would reasonably be payable to the plaintiff for the damage or breach, and whether, in the opinion of the Court, the damage or breach is capable of remedy, and shall fix a period during which it shall be open to the defendant to pay that amount to the plaintiff, and, where the damage or breach is declared to be capable of remedy, to remedy the same.

(*3*) The Court may, from time to time, extend a period fixed by it under sub-section (2) for remedying a damage or breach.

(*4*) If the defendant, within the period or extended period (as the case may be) fixed by the Court under this section, pays the compensation mentioned in the decree, and, where the damage or breach is declared by the Court to be capable of remedy, remedies the damage or breach to the satisfaction of the Court, the decree shall not be executed.

Rights of ejected tenant in respect of crops and land prepared for sowing.

75. The following rules shall be applicable in the case of every tenant ejected from a holding :—

(*a*) When the tenant has, before the date of his ejectment, sown or planted crops in any land comprised in the holding, he shall be entitled, at the option of the landlord, either to retain possession of that land and to use it for the purpose of

Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1883.

Chapter VIII.—Power to make Rules; Schedule.—Acts repealed.

tending and gathering in the crops, or to receive from the landlord the estimated value of the labour and capital expended by the tenant in preparing the land and sowing, planting and tending the crops, together with reasonable interest thereon.

(*b*) When the tenant has, before the date of his ejectment, prepared for sowing any land comprised in his holding, but has not sown or planted crops in that land, he shall be entitled to receive from the landlord the estimated value of the labour and capital expended by him in so preparing the land, together with reasonable interest thereon:

Provided that a tenant shall not be entitled to retain possession of any land or receive any sum in respect thereof under this section when, after the commencement of proceedings by the landlord for his ejectment, he has cultivated or prepared the land contrary to local usage.

Payment by tenant for occupation of land under section 75.

76. When a landlord elects, under section seventy-five, clause (*a*), to allow a tenant to retain possession of any land for the purpose specified in that clause, the tenant shall pay to the landlord, for the use and occupation of the land during the period for which he is allowed to retain possession of the same, such rent as the Court may deem reasonable.

All claims between landlord and tenant to be determined in ejectment-proceedings.

77. In all suits and proceedings for ejectment, the Court shall inquire into and determine all claims under this Act by the landlord against the tenant as such, or by the tenant against the landlord as such.

Procedure when, on ejectment, money is due by the landlord to the tenant.

78. (*1*) When it appears to a Court making an inquiry under section seventy-seven that the amount payable by the landlord to the tenant as such exceeds the amount payable by the tenant to the landlord as such, the decree or order for ejectment (if any) shall, unless the landlord and tenant come to an arrangement regarding the payment of the excess sum, specify a time within which it must be paid into Court.

(*2*) If it is so paid within the time specified, the Court shall eject the tenant; and

if it is not so paid, the Court shall refuse to eject the tenant.

Ejectment decrees and orders to have effect from beginning of agricultural year.

79. All decrees and orders for ejectment under this Act shall take effect from the beginning of the agricultural year next following the date of the decree or order.

Applications to measure or ascertain condition of holdings.

80. (*1*) If any landlord or tenant of a holding desires that the extent of that holding be ascertained, or that evidence relating to any improvement made in respect thereof, or to the state of the holding at any specified time, be recorded, he may apply to a Revenue-officer; and that officer shall thereupon, in presence of the parties,—

(*a*) make, or cause to be made, such inquiry as he thinks fit, with a view to ascertaining the extent of the holding, and record his finding thereon, or

(*b*) (where the applicant seeks to have evidence recorded) record that evidence:

Provided that no action shall be taken by any Revenue-officer under this section if he considers that there are no reasonable grounds for making the application, or if the subject-matter thereof is under inquiry in a Civil Court.

(*2*) When any matter has been recorded under this section, the record thereof shall be admissible in evidence in any subsequent proceedings between the landlord and tenant or any persons claiming under them.

Limitation in suits by tenant to recover possession.

81. The period of limitation for a suit instituted by a tenant other than an absolute occupancy-tenant to recover possession of land from which he has been ejected shall be two years from the date on which he is ejected.

In other respects the limitation of every such suit shall be governed by the Indian Limitation Act, 1877. XV of

CHAPTER VIII.

POWER TO MAKE RULES.

Rules by Chief Commissioner.

82. The Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, make rules consistent with the provisions of this Act—

(*a*) for the guidance of Revenue-officers and Settlement-officers in fixing, altering and commuting rents; and

(*b*) for the guidance of all other persons in matters connected with the enforcement of this Act.

SCHEDULE.

(*See Section 2.*)

ACTS REPEALED.

Number and year of Act.	Title.
Act X of 1859 ...	To amend the law relating to the recovery of rent in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.
Act XIV of 1863 ...	To amend Act X of 1859.
Act XXII of 1872 ...	To explain and amend Act X of 1859.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 14 OF 1883.

A Bill to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871; It is hereby enacted as follows :— 1871.

Power for Local Government to transfer functions of District Magistrate and Local Government to local authority and direct that surplus receipts be credited to local fund.

1. The Local Government may, from time to time, by order notified in the local official Gazette—

(a) transfer to any local authority, within any part of the territories under its administration in which the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, is in operation, all or any of the functions of the Local Government and the Magistrate of the district under sections four, five, six, seven, twelve, fourteen and seventeen, and clause (a) of section eighteen, of that Act, within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the local authority ; or I of 1871

(b) direct that the surplus accruing in any district under section eighteen of that Act shall be placed to the credit of such local fund or funds as may be formed for any local area or local areas comprised in that district,

and may from time to time, in like manner, cancel any order made under this section.

Definitions.

2. In this Act—

"Local authority" means any body of persons for the time being invested by law with the control and administration of any matters within a specified local area ; and

"local fund" means any fund under the control or management of a local authority.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

BY the Central Provinces Local Self-government Act, 1883, (I of 1883), certain functions which under the Cattle-trespass Act (I of 1871), are to be performed by the Local Government or the Magistrate of the District are transferred to the local authorities constituted under the first-mentioned Act, and the surplus proceeds arising under section 18 of the Cattle-trespass Act are directed to be carried to the local funds which are placed under the control of the local authorities. Provisions to the same effect are embodied in the Bill now pending in the Legislative Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the amendment of the system of Local Self-government in that province and in the Bills now pending in the Legislative Council of the Governor General for the amendment of the system of Local Self-government in the North-West Provinces and in the Panjáb. But doubts have been entertained whether, inasmuch as these provisions amount to an amendment of the Cattle-trespass Act, which is an Act of the Governor General in Council, their enactment would not be beyond the powers of a local legislature such as the Legislative Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal. It has therefore been thought desirable to amend the Act in such a way as to enable Local Governments to make the requisite changes by executive order.

2. The following extracts from the Cattle-trespass Act will explain the nature of the powers which it is proposed by the Bill to confer on Local Governments :—

"4. Pounds shall be established at such places as the Magistrate of the District, subject to the general control of the Local Government, from time to time directs.

"The village by which every pound is to be used shall be determined by the Magistrate of the District.

"5. The pounds shall be under the control of the Magistrate of the District; and he shall fix, and may from time to time alter, the rates of charge for feeding and watering impounded cattle.

"6. The Magistrate of the District shall also appoint for each pound a pound-keeper :

"Provided that, in the Presidency of Fort St. George, the heads of villages, and, in the Presidency of Bombay, the police pátíls, or (where there are no police pátíls) the heads of villages, shall be *ex-officio* the keepers of village-pounds.

"Every pound-keeper appointed by the Magistrate of the District may be suspended or removed by such Magistrate.

* * * * * * * *

"7. Every pound-keeper shall keep such registers and furnish such returns as the Local Government from time to time directs.

"12. For every head of cattle impounded as aforesaid, the pound-keeper shall levy a fine according to the following scale :—

* * * * * * * *

"All fines so levied shall be sent to the Magistrate of the District through such officer as the Local Government from time to time directs.

* * * * * * * *

"14. If the cattle be not claimed within seven days from the date of their being impounded, the pound-keeper shall report the fact to the officer in charge of the nearest police-station, or to such other officer as the Magistrate of the District appoints in this behalf.

* * * * * * * *

"If the cattle be not claimed within seven days from the date of the notice, they shall be sold by public auction by the said officer, or an officer of his establishment deputed for that purpose, at such place and time and subject to such conditions as the Magistrate of the District by general or special order from time to time directs :

"Provided that if any such cattle are, in the opinion of the Magistrate of the District, not likely to fetch a fair price if sold as aforesaid, they may be disposed of in such manner as he thinks fit.

"17. The officer by whom the sale was made shall send to the Magistrate of the District the fines so deducted.

"The charges for feeding and watering deducted under section sixteen shall be paid over to the pound-keeper, who shall also retain and appropriate all sums received by him on account of such charges under section thirteen.

"The surplus unclaimed proceeds of the sale of cattle shall be sent to the Magistrate of the District, who shall hold them in deposit for three months, and, if no claim thereto be preferred and established within that period, shall, at its expiry, dispose of them as hereinafter provided.

"18. Out of the sums received on account of fines and the unclaimed proceeds of the sale of cattle, shall be paid—

"(*a*) the salaries allowed to pound-keepers under the orders of the Local Government;

"(*b*) the expenses incurred for the construction and maintenance of pounds, or for any other purpose connected with the execution of this Act;

"and the surplus (if any) shall be applied, under orders of the Local Government, to the construction and repair of roads and bridges and to other purposes of public utility."

The 20th June, 1883.

C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 15 OF 1883.

A Bill to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876.

of 1876. Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, with a view to provide for the better regulation of the passenger traffic between British India and ports in the Red Sea; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1883;

Commencement.

and it shall come into force on such day as the Governor General in Council directs by notification in the *Gazette of India*.

of 1876. Addition to section 11 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876.

2. After clause (*e*) of section 11 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, the following clause shall be added :—

"(*ee*) in the case of any ship sailing to any port in the Red Sea, that she is propelled principally by steam, and, if she is carrying more than one hundred passengers being Natives of Asia or Africa, that she has on board a medical officer licensed in accordance with rules to be made under this Act."

Substitution of new section for section 26 of the same Act.

3. For section twenty-six of the same Act, the following section shall be substituted :—

Bond where ship clears for port in Red Sea.

"26. In the case of every ship sailing from any port in British India to any port in the Red Sea, the officer whose duty it is to grant a port-clearance for any such ship shall not grant the clearance unless and until the owner, agent or master of the ship and two sureties resident in British India have executed in favour of the Secretary of State for India in Council a joint and several bond, for the sum of Rs. 5,000, conditioned—

"(*a*) that the ship shall touch at Aden on the outward voyage and there obtain a clean bill of health, and shall do the same on the homeward voyage if the ship continues to carry more than sixty passengers; and

"(*b*) that the master and medical officer (if any) of the ship shall comply with on the outward voyage, and also on the homeward voyage if the ship continues to carry more than sixty passengers, the provisions of this Act and of such rules relating to ships sailing between ports in British India and ports in the Red Sea as the Governor General in Council may, from time to time, make under section forty-six."

Amendment of section 27 of same Act.

4. In section twenty-seven of the same Act, for the word "thirty" the word "sixty" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 28 of the same Act.

5. To section twenty-eight of the same Act the following words shall be added :—"and the authority empowered to grant the same may refuse to grant a bill of health in the case of any ship on board of which the requirements of the rules made under section 46 are not complied with."

Addition of new sections after section 28 of same Act.

6. After section twenty-eight of the same Act, the following sections shall be added :—

Certain ships to carry medical officer.

"28A. Every ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea and carrying more than one hundred passengers being Natives of Asia or Africa shall have on board a medical officer licensed in accordance with rules to be made under this Act.

Certain ships to be propelled by steam.

"28B. Every ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea shall be propelled principally by steam.

Power for Governor General in Council to issue notification requiring medical inspection in case of certain passengers.

"28C. (*1*) The Governor General in Council may, from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, direct that no passenger of such class as may be specified in the notification shall be received

on board any ship sailing from any port in British India to any port in the Red Sea unless and until he has obtained a certificate from a medical officer to be appointed by the Local Government in this behalf, to the effect that he has been examined by that officer and is not suffering from any dangerously infectious or contagious disease, and is in a fit state of health to undertake the voyage to the port in the Red Sea for which he is bound.

(2) The Governor General in Council may cancel or alter, either in whole or in part, any notification which may at any time be issued under this section.

Addition of new sections after section 38 of same Act.

7. After section thirty-eight of the same Act, the following sections shall be added:—

Penalty on master or medical officer of certain ships disobeying rules.

"38A. If the master of any such ship as is referred to in section twenty-seven, or any medical officer in charge of any such ship, wilfully breaks, or omits or neglects to obey, any rule with regard to those ships made under section forty-six, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with both.

Penalty on master of certain ships sailing without medical officer.

"38B. If any ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea and carrying more than one hundred passengers has not on board a medical officer as required by section 28A, the master of the ship shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with both.

Penalty on owner and master of certain ships not propelled by steam.

"38C. The owner and master of any ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea and not principally propelled by steam shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with both.

Penalty on master receiving passenger in contravention of a notification under section 28C.

"38D. If the master of any ship, while a notification under section 28C is in force, knowingly receives on board his ship any person in contravention of that notification, he shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for each person so received, or with both."

Additions to section 46 of same Act.

8. After clause (*b*) of section forty-six of the same Act, the following clause shall be added:—

"(*bb*) the licensing and appointment of medical officers in cases where they are required, under this Act, to be carried";

and after clause (*e*) of the same section the following clauses shall be added:—

"(*ee*) the functions of the master, medical officer (if any) and other officers of the ship during the voyage;

"(*eee*) the access of intermediate or between decks passengers to the upper deck.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, VIII of 1876, with a view to provide for the better regulation of the pilgrim traffic between British India and Arabia. This traffic has formed the subject of correspondence between the Secretary of State, the Government of India and the various local maritime Governments in India. A careful consideration has brought the Government to the conclusion that the importance of the pilgrim traffic makes its detailed regulation imperative, and that, to secure uniformity of procedure, and thereby avoid the friction which must inevitably follow divergence between rules separately framed by different States, it is desirable that, in all the more important points, a common understanding should be come to among the Governments who are chiefly interested in the proper management of that traffic. The establishment of a practical coincidence between the general provisions of the local Turkish regulations and those of the law of India—the country which at present furnishes the largest number of pilgrims to the Hedjaz—can only be effected by diplomatic correspondence between the British and Turkish Governments. But, since experience has shown that the provisions of the Indian law as it at present stands are insufficient to meet the peculiar exigencies of this traffic, and that in some respects they require revision, it seems desirable, before attempting to bring about an assimilation of the British and Turkish laws, to make such amendments of our own law as are necessary to put it in a satisfactory state.

2. The Indian law on this subject is contained partly in the provisions of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, and partly in those of the rules framed under that Act. With a view to the amendment of the latter, the Government of India has already submitted to the Secretary of State a copy of a draft set of rules, which have been framed on the model of those regulating the transport of emigrants from India to the English and French colonies, and which it proposes to issue under the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, as rules regulating the conveyance of Native passengers between the ports of India and of the Hedjaz. With a view to the amendment of the former, the present Bill has been prepared.

3. Section 2 adds to section 11 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, a provision requiring the certificate given under that section to contain in the case of a ship sailing to the Red Sea a declaration that she is propelled principally by steam, and when the ship carries more than 100 Native passengers a declaration that she has on board a licensed medical officer. The effect of this will be that such ships will not be able to obtain a port-clearance (see section 9) unless they comply with these requirements.

4. Section 3 amends section 26 of the Act, by requiring the bond given under that section to be conditioned for the observance of the provisions of the Act and of such rules with regard to Native passenger ships sailing to the Red Sea as the Governor General in Council may make under section 16 of the Act. The object of this amendment is to enable the Government of India to enforce the observance of its rules beyond the limits of its jurisdiction.

5. The substitution (by section 4 of the Bill) of 60 for 30 as the number of passengers which must be on board a ship in order that section 27 of the Act may apply follows as a necessary consequence of the provision that all ships are to be propelled by steam (see section 2 of the Act).

6. Section 5 empowers the authorities at Aden to refuse a bill of health to a ship if the requirements of the rules are not complied with.

7. The sections (28A, 28B and 28C) which section 6 adds to the Act require every ship sailing to or from the Red Sea and carrying more than 100 Native passengers to have a licensed medical officer, and every Native passenger ship sailing to or from the Red Sea to be propelled principally by steam, and empower the Governor General in Council to issue a notification directing that no passenger of such description as may be specified in the notification shall be received on board any such ship until he has obtained a certificate from a prescribed medical officer certifying that he is not suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, and is in a fit state of health to proceed to the port to which he intends to proceed.

With regard to section 28A, the Government has no doubt that the presence of a medical officer on board will serve to diminish many of the hardships from which pilgrims now suffer, especially if he is by rule made responsible for seeing that the sanitary and dietary arrangements on board are properly managed, and if he is liable to be disqualified for any breach of duty on his own part. It may not always be possible to secure Muhammadan medical men for this service, but endeavours will be made to supply officers of that persuasion in preference to others. Section 28B speaks for itself. Section 28C may have to be enforced, at the instance of the European powers, as a precaution against the possible introduction of epidemic disease by Indian pilgrims into Arabia.

8. Section 7 imposes penalties for breaches of the requirements of the Bill.

9. Lastly, by section 8, certain words are added to section 46 of the Act to enable the Governor General in Council to make rules to regulate the licensing of medical officers and the functions of those officers and of the officers of the ship generally, and ensure to the passengers free access to the upper deck

The 20th June, 1883.

C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 16 OF 1883.

Note.—B. B. in the margin of this Bill refers to the Bill submitted by the Chief Commissioner.

A Bill to authorize the making and to regulate the working of Street Tramways in Rangoon.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Municipal Committee of the Town of Rangoon, by an agreement dated the 22nd day of June, 1882, a copy whereof is set forth in the schedule annexed to this Act, granted, for the considerations therein expressed, to John William Darwood, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, hereinafter called the grantee, the right to construct, maintain and use a tramway or tramways in Rangoon upon the terms subject to the conditions and in the manner mentioned in the said agreement, but the said agreement was made subject to the confirmation thereof by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma and to the recognition thereof by an Act of the Governor General in Council;

and whereas the said agreement was, on the 13th day of November, 1882, confirmed by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma; and it is now expedient to recognise it and give effect to it, subject to the provisions and limitations hereinafter contained; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

A.—Preliminary.

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called the Rangoon Tramways Act, 1883; and it shall come into force at once.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Committee" means the Committee for the town of Rangoon appointed under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874.

"Tramway," means a tramway, or any part of a tramway, or any siding, turnout, connection, line or track belonging to a tramway.

"Street" means the way of any street, road, thoroughfare, passage or place along or across which any tramway authorised by this Act is or is intended to be laid, and includes the surface soil and subsoil of any such street, and the footway and drains of any such street, and any bridge, culvert or causeway forming part of any such street.

B.—Powers of Grantee generally.

Power to make, maintain and use tramways.

3. Subject to the provisions of this Act, and to the terms and conditions of the said agreement so far as the same are not inconsistent with this Act, the grantee may make, maintain and use any of the tramways for the construction, maintenance and use of which provision is made in the said agreement: [B. B. 3, 4, 5, 6

Provided that any such tramway shall not be opened for public traffic until it has been inspected and certified by the engineer to the Committee to be fit for such traffic.

C.—Construction and Maintenance of Tramways and of Streets on which they are laid.

Power to grantee to break up streets.

4. Subject to the terms and conditions of the said agreement, the grantee may, from time to time, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining or renewing any tramway under this Act, open and break up any street, and therein or thereon lay sleepers and rails, and repair, alter or remove the same; and may, for the purposes aforesaid, do in and on any such street all other acts which may, from time to time, be necessary for constructing, maintaining or renewing the tramway. [33 & 34 c. 78, s. [B. B., s.

Provided that he shall not, without the consent of the Committee, open or break up at any one time a greater length than one hundred yards of any street which does not exceed a quarter of a mile in length; and in the case of any street exceeding a quarter of a mile in length, he shall leave an interval of at least a quarter of a mile between any two places at which he may open or break up the street, and shall not open or break up at any such place a greater length than one hundred yards.

Grantee to keep the tramways and adjoining part of street in repair.

5. The grantee shall, at his own expense, at all times maintain and keep in good condition and repair, in such manner as the Committee from time to time directs, all tramways constructed by him under this Act, and so much of any street as lies between the rails of any such tramway; and in the case of double lines or turnouts or sidings, the portion of the road between the tramways, and in every case so much of the road as extends eighteen inches beyond the rails of and on each side of any such tramway. [33 & 34 V c. 78, s. [B. B., s.

Obligations of grantee when he has broken up street.

6. When the grantee has for the purposes of section 4 or section 5 opened or broken up any portion of a street, he shall be under the following further obligations, namely :—

[34 Vic., s. 27. s. 12.]

(a) He shall, with all convenient speed, and in all cases within six weeks at the most, unless the Committee otherwise consent in writing, complete the work for which the street has been broken up, and fill in the ground, and make good the surface, and, to the satisfaction of the Committee, restore the street to as good a condition as that in which it was before it was opened or broken up, and clear away all surplus materials or rubbish occasioned thereby.

(b) He shall, in the meantime, cause the place where the street is opened or broken up, to be fenced and watched, and to be properly lighted at night, and,

(c) He shall make good all damage done to drains, sewers, water-pipes and gas-pipes, and to the wires or other materials or things used for any system of lighting, and whether belonging to the Committee, to the Government, or to private persons, and shall make compensation for any other damage done in the execution of the powers granted to him.

34 Vic., ss. 32 s. 28.]

Reservation of Committee's power over streets.

7. (1) Nothing in this Act shall prevent the Committee from opening, breaking up, widening, altering, diverting or improving any street traversed by a tramway for the purposes for which they might otherwise under the law for the time being in force lawfully open, break up, widen, alter, divert or improve such street

Provided that—

(a) they shall cause as little detriment or inconvenience to the grantee as circumstances admit; and

(b) before they commence any work whereby the traffic on the tramway will be interrupted, they shall (except in cases of urgency, in which cases no notice shall be necessary) give to the grantee not less than eighteen hours previous notice of their intention to commence the work, specifying the time at which they will commence it.

(2) The Committee shall not be liable to pay to the grantee any compensation for injury done to the tramway by the execution of any work referred to in sub-section (1) or for loss of traffic occasioned by the reasonable exercise of their powers in connection with the same.

D.—Rights over Tramways and Streets on which they are laid.

[34 Vic., s. 8.]

Grantee's exclusive right over tramways.

8. The grantee shall subject to the provisions of this Act and to the terms and conditions of the said agreement, have the exclusive use of his tramways for carriages with flange wheels or other wheels suitable only to run on a grooved rail.

Vic., 2.]

Provided that nothing in this Act shall affect

(a) The right of the public to pass along or across any part of any road, along or across which any tramway is laid, whether on or off the tramway with carriages not having flange wheels or wheels suitable to run on a grooved rail; or

(b) the right of the Commissioners for the Port of Rangoon, or of any other body or person entitled at the time of the commencement of this Act to work and maintain a tramway, to pass across any tramway constructed under this Act with carriages having flange wheels or wheels suitable to run on a grooved rail.

Grantee to have right of user only.

9. Notwithstanding anything in this Act, the grantee shall not acquire any right other than that of user of any street along or across which he lays any tramway. [33 & 34 c. 78, s. [B. B., s.

Power of Committee and police to regulate traffic on streets.

10. Nothing in this Act shall affect the powers of the Committee or the police to regulate the passage of any traffic along or across any street along or across which any tramway is laid down, and the Committee or police may exercise their authority as well on as off the tramway, and with respect as well to the traffic of the grantee as to the traffic of other persons. [33 & 34 V c. 78, s. 61 [B. B., s.

E.—Traffic on Tramways.

Rate of fares.

11. The grantee may, from time to time, by a notice published in such languages and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may prescribe, fix the rates of fares and charges for carrying passengers and goods in his carriages: [B. B., s. [33 & 34 V c. 78, s. 45.

Provided that the rates of passenger fares shall not exceed one anna per mile for each passenger in the lower class and two annas per mile for each passenger in the higher or first class.

Mode of payment of fares.

12. The fares and charges by this Act authorized shall be paid to such persons at such places, upon or near to the tramways, and in such manner and under such regulations as the grantee may, by a notice published as aforesaid, from time to time prescribe. [B. B., s. 11

Carriage of dangerous or offensive goods.

13. (1) No person shall be entitled to carry or to require to be carried on any tramway constructed under this Act any goods of a dangerous or offensive nature. [B. B., s. 25

(2) Every person taking such goods with him on any such tramway shall before entering the carriage give notice of their nature to the servant of the grantee in charge of the carriage.

(3) Every person sending such goods by any such tramway shall distinctly mark their nature on the outside of the package containing them, or otherwise give notice thereof in writing to the book-keeper or other servant of the grantee with whom the same are left at the time of such sending.

(4) The grantee may refuse to take any parcel which he may suspect to contain goods of a dangerous or offensive nature, or require the same to be opened to ascertain the fact.

F.—Offences and Penalties.

Penalty for failure of grantee to comply with provisions of this Act.

14. If the grantee— [33 & 34 Vic. c. 78, s. [B. B., s.

(a) constructs or maintains any tramway, or runs any car or carriage thereon otherwise than in accordance with the said agreement;

(b) opens any tramway for traffic before it has been inspected and certified in manner required by section 3;

(c) opens or breaks up any street otherwise than as permitted by this Act, or having opened or broken up a street fails to discharge any of the obligations imposed on him by section 6, clauses (a) and (b); or

(d) fails to keep the rails of any tramway and the portions of the street adjoining the same in repair as required by section 5

he shall (without prejudice to the enforcement of specific performance of the requirements of this Act or of the said agreement or to any other remedy against him), on complaint of the Committee or of any person injuriously affected thereby, be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and in the case of a continuing offence to a further fine which may extend to fifty rupees for each day after the first day during which the offence continues to be committed.

[B. B., s. 18.] [32 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 49.]

Penalty for obstructing grantee in the exercise of his powers.

15. Any person who wilfully obstructs any person acting under the authority of the grantee in the lawful exercise of his powers in constructing, repairing or renewing a tramway, or injures or destroys any mark, made for the purpose of setting out the line of the tramway, shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

[B. B., s. 19.] [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 50.]

Penalty for interfering with tramway.

16. Any person who without lawful excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on him) wilfully does any of the following things, namely,—

(a) interferes with, removes or alters any part of a tramway constructed under this Act or of the works connected therewith;

(b) does or causes to be done anything in such a manner as to obstruct any carriage using any such tramway; or

(c) knowingly aids or assists in the doing of such thing,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

[B. B., s. 22.] [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 53.]

Penalty for taking or sending dangerous or offensive goods without giving notice.

17. Any person taking or sending by any tramway any goods of a dangerous or offensive nature without giving the notice required by section 13 shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

[B. B., s. 20.] [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 51.]

Penalty for avoiding payment of proper fare.

18. If any person travelling or having travelled in any carriage of the grantee avoids or attempts to avoid payment of his fare, or if any person having paid his fare for a certain distance wilfully proceeds in any such carriage beyond that distance and does not pay the additional fare for the additional distance, or attempts to avoid payment thereof, or if any person wilfully refuses or neglects on arriving at the point to which he has paid his fare to quit the carriage, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to ten rupees.

[B. B., s. 21.] [33 & 34 vic., c. 78, s. 52.]

Power of servant of grantee to arrest persons avoiding payment of fare.

19. Any servant of the Grantee, and any person called in by him for his assistance, may arrest and take to the nearest police-station any person who is discovered either in or after committing or attempting to commit an offence punishable under section 18, and whose name and residence is refused by him and is unknown to such servant or person, and the police-officer in charge of the police-station, on receiving a complaint that such an offence has been committed, shall adopt such legal measures as may be necessary to cause the accused person to be taken before a Magistrate with the least possible delay.

G.—Powers to make Rules.

Powers to make rules.

20. *(1)* The Committee in special meeting may, with the sanction of the Chief Commissioner, from time to time make such rules consistent with this Act as to the rate of speed, number of passengers, and mode of use of the tramways and as to the licensing and control of drivers, conductors and other persons having charge of the carriages of the grantee as the convenience and safety of the public may require. [B. 21 & [33 c. 78, & 48.

(2) The grantee may, with the like sanction, from time to time, make rules consistent with this Act for preventing the commission of any nuisance in or upon any carriage, or in or against any premises belonging to him; and

for regulating the travelling in any carriage belonging to him.

(3) The authority making any rule under this section may prescribe as a punishment for the breach of it a fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

(4) All rules made under this section shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette.*

H.—Miscellaneous.

Construction of clause 15 of agreement.

21. For the purpose of clause 15 of the agreement set forth in the schedule annexed to this Act, the want of sufficient funds shall not be deemed to be a circumstance beyond the control of the grantee. [B. [33 c. 78

Exemption from certain municipal taxation.

22. The plant, rolling-stock and other vehicles, yards, workshops engine-sheds and depôts of the grantee shall, for a period of five years from the passing of this Act, be exempt from all municipal taxation except such lighting and water-rates as may from time to time be payable in respect of the yards, workshops, engine-sheds, and depôts. [B.

Provisions as to general Acts.

23. Nothing in this Act shall exempt the grantee or any tramway constructed by him under this Act from the provisions of any general enactment relating to tramways now in force or which may hereafter be passed. [Mo way

---

SCHEDULE.

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT made this 22nd day of June 1882 BETWEEN THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF RANGOON appointed under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, hereinafter called the said Committee, of the one part, and JOHN WILLIAM DARWOOD, of Rangoon, hereinafter called the said Grantee, of the other part. WHEREAS the said Committee have, subject to the confirmation thereof by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma and to the recognition of this Agreement by an Act of the Governor General of India in Council, agreed to grant to the said Grantee the right to construct, maintain and use a tramway or

tramways in Rangoon upon the terms and conditions hereinafter contained, NOW THESE PRESENTS WITNESS that in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained and on the part of the said Committee to be performed, the said Grantee for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns doth covenant with the said Committee, so far as the covenants and conditions hereinafter contained are to be performed by the said Grantee and his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and the said Committee, for and in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained and on the part of the said Grantee, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns to be performed, do hereby covenant with the said Grantee, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns so far as the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained are to be performed by the said Committee in manner following, that is to say :—

1. The said Committee grant to the said Grantee and his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, all which persons are hereinaftar included in the words "the said Grantee," the right to construct, maintain and use a tramway or tramways, with single or double tracks or lines, and with all necessary sidings, turnouts, connections and lines, or tracks of whatever nature which may be required to connect the said tramway or tramways with the depôts of the said Grantee (but in the case of sidings and turnouts, only in such places as the said Committee may sanction), on the following routes and between such other places and by such other routes as may be hereafter approved of by the said Committee :—

The tramways referred to and now authorised for construction subject to such confirmation as aforesaid are :—

I.—A tramway with a double track or line along China Street and Pagoda road from the Strand road at its junction with China street to the Shway Dagone Pagoda.

II.—A tramway with a double track or line along the Strand road from East street to West street.

III.—A tramway with a double track or line along Dalhousie street from East street to the junction of Dalhousie street with the Strand road.

IV.—A tramway with a double track or line along Soolay Pagoda road from the Strand road to Montgomery street and along Montgomery street to the Phayre street railway station and along Montgomery road to the iron bridge near the bázár at Poozoondoung.

V.—A tramway with a double track or line from the Strand road down Barr street to Shafraz road round the Public Buildings back into the Strand road.

2. When approved of and desired by the said Committee, tramways with such tracks or lines as may be approved of by the said Committee from East street to Monkey point and along the Upper and Lower Poozoondoung roads to Monkey point, and along Merchant street, Fraser street and Canal street, and along Lower Kemmendine road from the Strand road, Kemmendine, to the junction of West street with the Strand road.

3. The said tramway or tramways to be constructed and maintained in such form and manner and upon such gradient and with such gauge as the said Committee may approve, and the cars and carriages intended to run on the said rails shall be such as are approved of by the said Committee.

4. The cars and carriages of the Grantee on the tracks or lines of the said tramway shall, unless with the consent of the said Committee, be worked with steam power of the most approved engine of the time only, and the said Committee shall have power at all times to make such regulations as to the rate of speed and mode and use of the said tracks or lines as the convenience and safety of the public using the streets may require.

5. The said Grantee shall have power from time to time to fix the rate of fares for carrying persons and goods in the cars or carriages to be run on the said tramway or tramways, provided that the rates of fares shall for any distance not exceed the rate of one anna per mile for the lower class and two annas per mile for the higher or first class for each passenger.

6. The said Grantee may, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining such tramways under such superintendence as is hereinafter specified, open and break up the soil and metalled way of the several streets, roads and bridges in the city and thereon lay sleepers and rails, and from time to time repair, alter or remove the same, and may, for the purposes aforesaid, remove and use all earth and materials in such streets, roads and bridges, and the said Grantee may, in and on such streets, roads and bridges, do all other acts which he shall from time to time deem necessary for constructing and maintaining street tramways in the said city, doing as little damage as may be in the execution of the powers hereby granted, and shall make good all damage done to drains, sewers, water and gas pipes, or to the wires or other materials or things used for any other system of lighting, and whether belonging to the said municipality or to private individuals, and shall make compensation for any other damage done in the execution of such powers.

7. Before the said Grantee proceeds to open or break up any street, road or bridge other than those referred to in sub-clauses from I to V in clause 1, he shall obtain the approval in writing of the said Committee to the tracks or lines of the said tramway being laid down on the said streets, roads or bridges, and the said Grantee, before opening or breaking up any street, road or bridge, shall give to the said Committee or their Executive Engineer, or other municipal officer duly appointed for that purpose, notice in writing of his intention to open or break up the same not less than three clear days before beginning such work, except in such cases of emergency arising from defects in any of the rails or other work, and then so soon as is possible after the beginning of the work or the necessity for the same shall have arisen.

8. No street, road or bridge shall, except in cases of emergency as aforesaid, be opened or broken up, except under the superintendence of the said Committee or of their Executive Engineer or of some other municipal officer duly appointed for that purpose, and according to such plans as shall be approved of by him or them: provided always that if the said Committee or their Engineer or other such officer as aforesaid fail to attend at the time fixed for the opening of any

such street, road or bridge after having had such notice of the said Grantee's intention as aforesaid, or shall not propose any plan for breaking up or opening the same, or shall refuse or neglect to superintend the operation, the said Grantee may perform the work specified in such notice without such superintendence as aforesaid.

9. When the said Grantee opens or breaks up the roadway or pavement of any street, road or bridge, he shall with all convenient speed complete the work for which the same shall be broken up, and fill in the ground and make good the roadway or pavement so opened or broken up as aforesaid, and carry away the rubbish occasioned thereby and deposit the same for the use of the said Committee at such place as the Executive Engineer of the said municipality shall direct, and shall at all times whilst any such roadway or pavement shall be so opened or broken up cause the same to be guarded, and shall cause a light sufficient for the warning of passengers to be set up and maintained against or near such roadway or pavement where the same shall be open or broken up every night during which the same shall continue open or broken up.

10. If the said Grantee opens or breaks up any street, road or bridge without giving such notice as hereinbefore mentioned or in a manner different from that which shall have been approved of or determined as aforesaid except in the cases in which the said Grantee is hereby authorized to perform such work without any superintendence or notice, or if the said Grantee shall make any unnecessary delay in completing any such work or in filling in the ground or reinstating and making good, so far as is consistent with the existence of the said tramway, the roadway or pavement so opened or broken up, or in carrying away the rubbish occasioned thereby, or if he neglect to cause the place where such roadway or pavement has been broken up to be guarded and lighted, he shall forfeit to the said Committee a sum not exceeding fifty (50) rupees for every such offence, and he shall forfeit an additional sum not exceeding fifty (50) rupees for each day during which any such delay or neglect as aforesaid shall continue after he shall have received notice thereof.

11. The said Grantee shall maintain and keep in repair such portion of the streets, roads and bridges in the City of Rangoon as shall be occupied by his tracks or lines, including therein not only the space between his tracks or lines but a space eighteen inches on either side thereof, and in consideration of the maintenance of such streets, roads and bridges as aforesaid, and of the yearly rent hereinafter mentioned to be paid by the Grantee, the plant, rolling-stock and other vehicles, yards, workshops, engine-sheds and depôts of the said Grantee shall be exempt from municipal taxation for a period of five years, except lighting and water-rates for such yards, workshops, engine-sheds and depôts.

12. The said Grantee shall be liable for any loss, damage or injuries that any person or persons may sustain by reason of any defect or want of repairs in any of the plant, rolling-stock or other properties of the said Grantee, or by reason of any carelessness, neglect or misconduct of his agents or servants in the management, construction or use of the said tramways or any portion thereof, or in the exercise of the power given by clauses 6, 7, 8, and 11; the same shall be made good by the said Grantee, and in the event of any suit being instituted against the said Committee in respect of any of the matters hereinbefore mentioned, the said Grantee shall, within fourteen days from the receipt of a notice thereof from the said Committee, settle the same; but if the said Grantee choose to defend such suit, he shall be at liberty to do so upon his undertaking to indemnify the said Committee against all losses, damages and expenses in respect thereof: provided always that, if the said Grantee fail to settle such suit or to indemnify the said Committee as is hereinbefore provided, it shall be lawful for the said Committee to settle the same without any consent or concurrence on the part of the said Grantee, and the sums which they shall have to pay in making such settlement, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from the date of payment, and with all expenses which they may be put to, shall be recoverable as a debt from the said Grantee.

13. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to prevent the said Committee from taking up any of the public streets or roads traversed by the said tramway for the purposes for which the said Committee may lawfully take up the same, and that the said Grantee shall have no right to claim cost from the said Committee for obstructing the tramway or causing delay in the traffic so long as the delay shall not be unreasonable for the work to be performed.

14. If the said Committee shall hereafter alter the level of any street, road or bridge along or across which any tramway by this agreement authorized is laid or authorized to be laid, the Grantee shall alter or (as the case may be) lay his rails to suit the altered level of such street, road or bridge, provided always that any such alteration as aforesaid shall be so made as to interfere as little as possible with the safe and convenient working of the said tramways, and in any case so as not to stop or prevent the free use or working thereof.

15. If at any time after the opening of any tramway for traffic the said Grantee shall discontinue the working of such tramway or any part thereof for the space of six calendar months (such discontinuance not being occasioned by circumstances beyond the control of the said Grantee), it shall be lawful for the said Committee, without any previous notice to the said Grantee, to remove the tramway or part of the tramway so discontinued, and the said Grantee shall pay to the said Committee the cost of such removal and of the making good of the street, road or bridge, and the certificate of the said Committee or of their Engineer as to such cost shall be conclusive.

16. The provisions of this agreement shall remain and be in force for a term not less than twenty-one (21) years from the date thereof. The said Committee shall have the right of purchasing the said tramways with the plant, stores, rolling-stock, sheds, depôts and yards, and everything connected therewith after the expiration of the said twenty-one (21) years upon declaring its intention so to do within six months after the expiration of the said twenty-one (21) years; the amount to be paid in the event of such purchase shall be the actual *bonâ fide* value at the termination of this agreement exclusive of any compensation for goodwill, premium on compulsory sale or other consideration whatever of the tramways and of the work and materials connected therewith

and of the lands and buildings and all other the property of the Grantee, such value to be decided by mutual agreement or by arbitration as hereinafter provided.

17. The provisions hereinbefore contained shall, so far as applicable, apply to all tramways to be constructed by the said Grantee by any route or routes to be hereafter sanctioned by the said Committee and to the works connected with or incidental to such tramways, it being agreed that in the event of the municipality failing to declare its intention as above provided to purchase the property of the said Grantee the terms of this contract shall continue in force during the period of six months from the date of the determination of these presents and for a further period of six months, and if the said Committee shall not within that time exercise the option of purchase hereby given, the said Committee and the said Grantee shall enter into a fresh agreement.

18. The said Grantee will, if required by the said Committee before opening up the roadway of any street, road or bridge, deposit with the Bank of Bengal in the name of the said Committee the sum of rupees five thousand (5,000) or, in their option, promissory notes of the Government of India of the nominal value of rupees five thousand (5,000), and the same will remain so deposited until the completion by the said Grantee of the abovementioned lines of tramway herein sanctioned for construction. All interest accruing on the said sum, or the said notes, shall be credited to the said Grantee, and, subject as next hereinafter mentioned, be paid to him as the same accrues due. The said Committee shall be entitled to deduct all fines recoverable by the said Committee and all monies to which they may be entitled under any clause or clauses of these presents out of the sum so deposited, or the interest accruing on the said sum or notes, or out of the proceeds of sale of a portion of the said notes on completion of the tramways herein sanctioned for immediate construction.

19. In consideration of the concession herein granted, the said Grantee undertakes on behalf of himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns that he will pay to the said Committee a yearly rent of rupees three thousand (3,000) per mile of double track or line and rupees two thousand (2,000) per mile of single track or line, payable half-yearly; the date on which such rent on each line of tramway shall begin to accrue shall be the date on which such line of tramways is open for public traffic.

20. It is agreed that the tramway or tramways from the Strand road along Barr street and Shafraz road round the Public Buildings and back to the Strand road should not be included, and that no sidings, turnouts or tracks necessary to connect the traffic lines with the carriage-sheds, engine-sheds, factories, depôts, yards or other property or properties of the said Grantee shall be included in the mileage on which rent is to be paid, the tramway or tramways more particularly described in this paragraph, and such sidings, turnouts and necessary connecting tracks or lines, being free of rent.

21. The sleepers, rails, materials and implements, and other erections placed and erected by the said Grantee on the streets, bridges or roads under the powers hereby granted shall be and remain the property of the said Grantee, and the said Grantee shall have the exclusive use of his tramway or tramways for carriages with flanged wheels or other wheels suitable only to run on the prescribed rail.

22. The prescribed rail is that known as the box rail introduced by Mr. Robinson Souttar, to be made of Bessemer steel of the weight of sixty pounds to the yard, or such other rail of such weight as may be approved by the said Committee.

23. The said Grantee shall have the exclusive right of laying and using tramways within the limit of the Rangoon Municipality on the terms herein stated, but in the event of the said Grantee refusing to lay down any line when the said Committee may consider it necessary, the said Committee shall be at liberty to grant the right of laying and using such line to any other party.

24. Unless the said Grantee shall have commenced the work of laying down the said tramways within twelve months from the date of the execution of these articles of agreement, the said Committee shall be at liberty to cease and determine this contract and to enter into arrangements with any other person or persons for the construction of tramways, it being agreed, however, that these conditions of contract are subject to the sanction of Government, and that, in the event of their being executed prior to such sanction being given, the said 12 months shall date from the day on which notice of such sanction is given to the said Grantee, provided also that any delay in commencing the work beyond 12 months shall not have been due to any cause beyond the control of the said Grantee.

25. If any doubt, difference or dispute shall arise between the said Grantee and the said Committee touching the construction of these presents or anything herein contained, or touching or concerning any other matter or thing relating to these presents, then and in every such case such doubt, difference or dispute shall be referred to the arbitration of two persons, one to be chosen by the said Grantee and the other by the said Committee within one calendar month after either of them shall have made to the other a requisition to that effect, and should the arbitrators fail to agree, they shall refer the question or questions at issue to the decision of an umpire to be chosen by the said arbitrators, and the decision of such arbitrators if they agree, or of such umpire if they disagree, shall be final; and in case either party shall neglect or refuse to appoint an arbitrator within the specified time, the arbitrator appointed by the other party shall make a decision alone, and the decision of such arbitrators, umpire or arbitrator, as the case may be, shall be effectual and binding upon both parties.

26. The said Grantee is to be at liberty to form a Company or Limited Liability Company for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and working the tramways authorized by or hereafter to be authorized under the terms of this agreement. The words "the said Grantee" used in this agreement shall include such Company or Limited Liability Company so formed as aforesaid.

27. The words "the said Committee" used in this agreement shall include the present Committee and their successors, and also persons empowered by the said Committee or their successors or by other duly constituted authority to do any act or thing or exercise any powers or authorities which the said Committee are hereinbefore authorized or empowered to do or exercise.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

ON the 22nd June, 1882, the Municipal Committee of Rangoon entered into an agreement with Mr. J. W. Darwood, by which they conferred upon him the exclusive right to construct and work public tramways within the limits of the municipality, and arranged with him for the construction and working of certain specified tramways and of such others as might from time to time be determined on.

2. An agreement of this description, it need hardly be said, requires to be supported and supplemented by legislation. Statutory powers are needed by the grantee of the concession to enable him to exercise with safety the powers over the public streets which the agreement purports to confer on him. Statutory penalties must be provided, in order, on the one hand, to impose an efficient check on the abuse of those powers and enforce the conditions upon which they are conferred, and, on the other, to prevent any improper interference with the exercise of them.

3. It is further desirable to fix by a legislative enactment a maximum limit to the fares to be charged, and to provide a penalty for evading the payment of fares and empower the servants of the grantee in certain cases to arrest persons charged with this offence.

4. Lastly, it is desirable to confer upon the municipal authority and upon the grantee a power to make rules regarding the working and use of the tramways, and to impose a small pecuniary penalty for the breach of such rules.

5. The above are the principal matters provided for in the present Bill, which, it should be stated, has been prepared on the principle of restricting the action of the legislature to those points for which the agreement does not sufficiently provide. The only other matters to which attention need here be directed are, first, that the carriage of goods of a dangerous or offensive nature is placed by the Bill under very much the same species of control as the carriage of dangerous goods is by the Railway Act; and secondly, that, in consideration of the grantee being obliged to keep a considerable portion of the roadways in repair, his premises and rolling-stock are exempted for five years from all municipal taxation, except lighting and water rates.

C. P. ILBERT.

The 20th June, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

[Second publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 17 OF 1883.

A Bill for the protection of Inventions exhibited in the Exhibitions of India.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient that such protection as is hereinafter mentioned should be afforded to the inventors of new manufactures who are desirous of exhibiting them at Exhibitions to be held in India; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

Commencement.

1. This Act may be called the Protection of Inventions Act, 1883; and it shall come into force at once.

Act to be read with Act XV of 1859.

2. It shall be read with and taken as part of Act XV of 1859 (*for granting exclusive privileges to inventors*).

Inventions exhibited when to be deemed new though publicly used or made publicly known.

[cf. 3 Vic., c. 2.]

3. If, within six months from the time of the opening of an International Exhibition, a person, being the inventor and exhibitor of any manufacture exhibited at that Exhibition, petitions the Governor General in Council under Act XV of 1859, for leave to file a specification of his invention, the circumstance that the invention has at any time after the opening of the Exhibition been publicly used or made publicly known shall not prevent the invention being deemed to have been at the time of presenting the petition a new invention for the purposes of the said Act.

Meaning of term "International Exhibition."

[cf. 3 Vic., c. 3.]

4. In this Act, "International Exhibition" means the International Exhibition to be held in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four at Calcutta, and any Exhibition to be held in India which the Governor General in Council may, upon the application of any persons desirous of holding the Exhibition, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be, in the judgment of the Governor General in Council, calculated to promote Indian art or industry, and to prove beneficial to the mercantile, agricultural or industrial classes of Her Majesty's subjects in India.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THIS Bill has been prepared in view of the forthcoming International Exhibition which it is proposed to hold in Calcutta next cold weather. It has been brought to the notice of Government that the want of some such protection as the Bill affords might probably deter inventors of unpatented inventions from sending them, and thus prevent the exhibition of some interesting exhibits.

2. It has been found necessary in England, and also, it is believed, in the Australian colonies, to legislate on this subject.

The Bill is drawn on the model of the Protection of Inventions Act, 1870 (33 & 34 Vic., cap. 27), but necessarily differs from it in details, inasmuch as the system of protection to inventions in force in this country differs from that in force in England in many respects, and, among others, in permitting an inventor to use his invention, or allow others to use it, publicly for a year without losing his right to protection. The effect of the Bill, if it becomes law, may be shortly stated to be that, if an inventor exhibiting his invention applies within six months from the opening of the exhibition for leave to file a specification, the circumstance of the invention having been publicly used or publicly made known after the opening of the exhibition will not affect his rights.

3. To prevent the necessity for similar legislation in the case of other exhibitions which may hereafter be held, section 4 of the Bill defines the term "International Exhibition" as meaning, not only the contemplated "International Exhibition" to be held at Calcutta, but any exhibition to be held in India which the Governor General in Council may, upon the application of any persons desirous of holding the exhibition, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be, in the judgment of the Governor General in Council, calculated to promote Indian art or industry, and to prove beneficial to the mercantile, agricultural or industrial classes of Her Majesty's subjects in India.

The 20th June, 1883.

C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 20th June, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.

The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

CENTRAL PROVINCES TENANCY BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Reports of the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Agricultural Tenancies in the Central Provinces be taken into consideration. He said :—

"It appears to be my fate just at present to act as foster-father to Rent Bills. The calamity which called away Sir Steuart Bayley to Haidarábád in February last placed me in temporary charge of the Bengal Tenancy Bill; the accident which called away my friend Mr. Charles Crosthwaite to British Burma has now placed me in charge of the Central Provinces Tenancy Bill. I am anxious to define the precise relationship in which I stand to this measure, because it is important to bear in mind that it is essentially a local Bill, framed by officers of local experience with special reference to local circumstances and local requirements. It was originally drawn by Mr. Jones, now Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, under instructions which were given to him as long ago as 1873. It was introduced into this Council in 1880 by my friend Mr. Charles Grant, who, before he became Secretary in the Foreign Department, had a long connexion with the Central Provinces as District Officer and Judicial Commissioner, acted at one time as Chief Commissioner and is well known as the Editor of the Central Provinces Gazetteer. After its introduction it was referred by the late Chief Commissioner for the consideration of a local committee, consisting of Messrs. Crosthwaite, Neill and Chisholm, who materially altered it, and in its altered form it was placed in the charge of Mr. Crosthwaite, then an Additional Member of this Council. Of the Bill in its present form, Mr. Crosthwaite has more claims than anyone else to be considered the author, and it substantially embodies the views and opinions of the late Chief Commissioner, and of the local committee appointed by him.

"Mr. Crosthwaite was kind enough to prepare for me, before he left for Burma, a careful note of what he had intended to say on the present occasion, and in the explanations which I now have to offer I shall draw freely on that note.

"The subject-matter of the Bill is difficult and complicated, and I am afraid that I shall not be able to make intelligible to the Council the modifications which we propose to make in the system of land-tenure in the Central Provinces without giving some account of the system which we found when we took over those provinces and of the system which we established after taking them over.

"The territories which now make up the Central Provinces were acquired by the British Government at different times and from different quarters, and, after they had passed under British rule, they remained for some time under different administrations. The Ságar and Narbada territories were ceded partly by the Peshwa in 1817 and partly by the Nágpur Rájá in 1818; the Nágpur Province was ceded as a whole in 1853, small portions of it having been under British rule since 1817; all these territories were combined under the name of the Central Provinces, and placed under a Chief Commissioner in 1861; Sambalpur was added to them in 1862, and Nimár in 1864. The Ságar and Narbada territories had been for some time attached to the North-Western Provinces, and Sambalpur and Nimár had been directly or indirectly under British administration for many years before they were made part of the Central Provinces.

"It might be expected that the land and revenue systems of territories with such different histories and antecedents would present great and radical divergencies. As a matter of fact, however, this is not the case. 'The study of the subject to which I have in the course of my present work been compelled,' says the present Chief Commissioner in a note which he wrote on this Bill in 1880, 'has convinced me that, in order to a right understanding of the tenures of the different parts of the Province, we must begin by recognizing their original similarity. Diversity, at the present day, there no doubt is, but it is a diversity which has arisen, not from original and inherent difference, but from the fact that in quite recent times—and in the Central Provinces everything is youthful and recent—diverse influences have impressed themselves upon systems which were in all essential respects the same. The position which I would lay down is this, that, speaking broadly, identical revenue-systems prevailed in all the districts of which these Provinces are composed at the time when they severally came under our rule or influence, and that all the differences which they now present are due, first, to the diverse trainings and prepossessions of the officers through whom we administered them; secondly, to difference in the revenue-systems which those officers looked to as models; and, thirdly, to the length of time during which the two preceding conditions have been operating; in short, I would affirm *that such differences as exist are of our own creation.*'

"The explanation of this substantial identity underlying superficial differences is simple. The Mahratta harrow had passed over the whole of these territories and had gone a long way towards reducing them, for revenue-purposes, to one dead-level of uniformity.

"What then was the Mahratta revenue-system? Its fundamental principles may, according to Mr. Jones, be summed up in the following four propositions:—

"I.—Settlements are annual or for very short terms.

"II.—Cultivators pay revenue, not rent, and competition rents are therefore unknown.

"III.—Headmen of villages, or the persons or bodies whom we should regard as possessing rights approximating to proprietary rights, are, in respect of raiyats' lands, office-holders and managers.

"IV.—No rights are allowed to grow up by prescription or otherwise, the effect of which would be to limit the power of the Government to raise a maximum revenue from the land.

"The essence of the system appears to have consisted in constant revisions of the revenue-assessments, with the view of maintaining them at the highest possible level, and thus preventing the growth of middlemen with rights and interests intermediate between the Government and the cultivator.

"Property in land was not recognized, but every cultivator was entitled to hold his land as long as he paid the share of the Government revenue apportioned to it. The Central Government fixed annually the sum which each pargana or revenue sub-division was to pay. The apportionment of the revenue on the several villages was made by the pargana officers in consultation with the headmen or patéls of villages, who assembled at the pargana head-quarters for this purpose. When the assessment of each village had been settled, the patéls returned each to his own village, and the share to be paid by each cultivator was made known to him.

"The manner in which the detailed assessments were made is interesting and curious, and arose, no doubt, out of the habit of the Mahratta Government of not fixing its revenue until late on in the agricultural year. The usual practice of the Nágpur Government was to announce its assessments about the month of August, when the character of the rains and the probable quality of the harvest were known. Here, however, as elsewhere in India, the agricultural year begins about June, and that is the time when the annual settlements between the Government agent and the raiyats would generally be made. But, as the amount which each raiyat would have to pay depended entirely on the amount of the Government assessment, which in June was an unknown quantity, an ingenious method of meeting the difficulty was devised. The patél and the cultivators, acting as a body bound together by the tie of one common responsibility for the payment of the revenue assessed on their village, divided the cultivated lands into two classes. In one class they ranked the very inferior soils, which could not bear more than a very small rent; and these they assessed at a fixed money rent with respect to the quality of the soil and the ruling prices of produce. In the second class they placed the better soils which, after paying the cost of cultivation, left a considerable margin of profit, sufficient to bear the possible fluctuations in the Government demand. Fields of this class were not assessed at any fixed rate, but the joint liability for the Government revenue on the whole village being taken, say, at a hundred shares, each of these fields was rated as equal to so many shares of the whole. Thus, each individual cultivator knew that he would have to pay a fixed unalterable sum for his bad lands, and that on account of his good lands he was liable to pay a certain fraction of the Government revenue, whatever that might be. This classification and valuation of fields was made annually, with a view to meeting the changes in the condition not only of the fields but of the raiyats themselves. Impartiality in the distribution of the revenue was secured by the rule of joint responsibility. If the revenue imposed on any individual could not be recovered from him, the deficiency was not remitted, but was made good by the imposition of an additional rate on all the others. Thus, there was given not only a great incitement to fair and just dealing, but a considerable stimulus to mutual help and co-operation.

"This system is described by Sir R. Jenkins, who was Resident at Nágpur in 1827, as existing in his time, and the sketch of it which I have given, and which is taken mainly from his well-known report on the territories of Nágpur, appears to show clearly that under the old constitution of the country there was no such thing as a landlord or tenant in our sense of the word, that rent was unknown, and that such things as revenue-rates or rent-rates had no existence at all.

"However, even during the period of Native rule, influences were at work which tended to subvert the ancient order of things. During the decline of the Bhonsla power, the State imposed revenues higher than the people could easily pay, and resorted to the abuse of farming the villages to the patéls or village-headmen, and leaving them to collect what they could from the people. This abuse tended to place the patél in a position of greater supremacy, and to give him powers which were capable of developing into proprietary rights. Here, as elsewhere, the transition from a collector of revenue to a farmer of revenue, and from a farmer of revenue to a receiver of rents, was easy and natural.

"This, then, was, roughly speaking, the state of things which we found in existence when we took over the several territories which make up the Central

Provinces. What modifications did we introduce into it? To answer this question, I shall quote again from Mr. Jones' note:—

'The history of our dealings with the different parts of the Province as we successively acquired them is, in almost every case, the same. We first made one or more severe settlements for short terms, then tried experiments in farming, interfering a good deal in a patriarchal way between patéls and cultivators, sometimes resorting to khám management, and finally made up our minds to long settlements at reduced jamas. These long settlements—I do not here refer to their effect on the prosperity of the agricultural classes—were the great turning-point in the revenue-history of the Province, and to them every change by which the Native revenue-system was modified, and at last superseded, may be traced.

'The chief immediate effect of the long settlements was to sever the mutual interdependence of the amount of cultivator's payments and the Government demand. The patél became the málguzár, and was no longer restricted, either by theory or in practice, from demanding rents disproportionate to the jama which he had to pay out of them. Cultivators began to pay rent instead of revenue, and the question arose whether málguzárs could not enhance during the currency of a settlement, irrespective of increase of cultivation; in other words, whether Government had not delegated to them the right, which it would (had the long settlement not been made) have itself exercised, of from time to time raising its revenue by enhancing the payments of cultivators. In the case of the earlier settlements, there can be no doubt that the intention of the officers who made them was that the rents paid at the time of settlement should not be enhanced during the settlement; but in the case of the later settlements the point is not so clear, except where, for instance, in Nimár, the training and prepossessions of local officers led to an unhesitating acceptance of the alternative most favourable to the cultivator. This much, however, is quite clear, that, whether málguzárs were regarded by the officers of the day as having a right to raise rent during the currency of a settlement or not, they did not themselves feel confident of having this right, and never exercised it. They could not all at once shake themselves free of the idea that cultivators could not be asked to pay more than the Government revenue. The position, therefore, at the close of the period preceding the regular settlement was this, that cultivators paid rent and that there was no restriction in the amount of rent which new cultivators might pay, but that rents fixed at the commencement of a settlement remained in practice unaltered to its close.

'The acquisition by málguzárs of the right to demand rent as distinguished from revenue, and of the theoretical power of raising rent during the currency of a settlement, brought in its train other fundamental changes by which the other roots of the Native revenue-system were torn up, for,—

'first, málguzárs, having always been accustomed to eject in the interest of the Government tenants who would not pay the quotum of revenue demanded from them, began now, by an easy transition, to think themselves entitled to eject in their own interest tenants who refused to pay the *rent* demanded of them; and,

'secondly, the resulting tendency to an increased exercise of the power of ejectment being strongly opposed by the sentiment of the people, a limitation was placed upon it by the introduction of a novel distinction between old and new cultivators, and the recognition of a specific right of occupancy in the latter.

'The change from the Native system of revenue-administration was thus completed. Not one of the principles enumerated in paragraph 4' (these are the four principles which I have already mentioned) 'remained intact. Short annual settlements had given way to settlements for long terms; cultivators' payments had become rents; the power of fixing them having been resigned by the State in favour of málguzárs; the latter had acquired rights which made their position approximate more to that of proprietors than of mere office-holders; and, lastly, one class of tenants, the occupancy-class, had been allowed to participate in the full rent of their lands, or, in other words, to acquire rights which conflicted with the right of the State to realize a maximum revenue from the land.

'But although the Native revenue-system had thus been uprooted in theory, it had not, at the time when regular settlements began, lost its hold on the people, even in those parts of the province where it had been longest exposed to hostile influences. The tenant would not believe that the State had handed him over to the málguzár; would not understand that his rent was to be disproportionate to the Government-demand; wanted it lowered when the Government-demand was lowered, and looked upon the settlement *parchas* as leases from Government. His views on the subject of ejectment were not announced with great distinctness, because, at the period I am speaking of, he did not understand the new motive which the málguzár had for ejecting him. Ejectments with the object of increasing a rent-roll had not then been much resorted to, and District-officers were apt to use their influence in protecting tenants when necessary.'

"Under these circumstances, and at a time when most of the current settlements for the Central Provinces were in course of being made, Act X of 1859 was extended to those provinces. The exact date of its extension is the 2nd March, 1864. This famous Act, with the main provisions of which the members of this Council have only too good reason to be acquainted, was, as we are all

aware, framed with a view to the special circumstances of Bengal, and it was applied to the Central Provnces, not because it was held to be suited to their circumstances and conditions, but because a law of some kind was wanted, more to regulate matters of procedure than to settle questions of right, and Act X of 1859 was the only law ready to hand. It was, in fact, avowedly introduced as a mere temporary makeshift, and it was never intended to remain in permanent operation.

'First of all,'

writes Mr. Jones in the note from which I have already quoted at such length, 'I would correct an impression, which I believe is prevalent among Revenue-officers in the Central Provinces, that, when Act X was introduced, the applicability of those parts of it which contain substantive law was considered, and that the relations between landlord and tenant which the Act lays down or assumes were then, after discussion, held to be suitable to the circumstances of the Province. Nothing can be further from the truth. In the correspondence which preceded the introduction of the Act, those parts of it which contain substantive law are only casually referred to, and attention was directed, almost exclusively, to the sections which confer jurisdiction and supply a procedure. The fact is, that the substantive provisions of the Act, coinciding, as they did, with the views which had gained acceptance among the officers by whom the greater part of the Province was administered before its formation, with theories held in the North-Western Provinces, and with the English ideas then prevalent, were not deemed to require discussion at all, and the Act was introduced with the sole object of rounding off the corners of the system of procedure previously applicable to civil and revenue suits. In the Ságar and Narbada territories there had been a special code of procedure for revenue-suits, and, in the Nágpur Province, Act X suits had been dealt with as summary suits under Regulation VIII of 1831. Act X simply abolished these procedures, and no one has any right to suppose that the assumptions regarding the relations of landlords and tenants which underlie its provisions received any new support or confirmation at the time, and by the fact, of its introduction.'

"The provisional character of the law thus introduced, and the necessity of modifying it for the purpose of making it even temporarily applicable to the circumstances to which it was applied, are fully recognized in the circular instructions which were issued to Settlement-officers shortly after its introduction. The most important of these circulars is one which was issued on the 27th of March, 1865, and which is, I believe, well known among Revenue-officers as Circular G. I refer to it because it appears to be the basis of the distinction, which is recognized and confirmed by the Bill, between absolute occupancy-tenants and other occupancy-tenants who have up to this time been, for reasons which I shall explain, commonly known as conditional occupancy-tenants.

"The first class, that of absolute occupancy-tenants, was created at the time of settlement, and comprises, as I understand, all the old substantial resident cultivators who then existed. They were termed absolute occupancy-tenants because their rights were recognized on grounds other than those mentioned in Act X, and were not conditional on the retention of that Act as part of the law of the Provinces. The tenants entered in this class were men whose rights in the soil were admitted without reservation by all parties. Into this class were swept all those who had long connection with the village, who had dug wells, planted groves, or otherwise improved their lands. The form in which their rights should be declared was considered by the Government in 1868, and it was then decided—

(*a*) that their rents should be fixed for the term of settlement, now and hereafter;

(*b*) that their tenure should descend as land;

(*c*) that they might sub-let or mortgage, and might sell subject to a right of pre-emption at five years' rent or the payment of one year's rent as a fine to the málguzár.

"These conditions were accordingly embodied in the village-administration papers, and were in this manner made binding as between the málguzár and the tenant.

"The other class of occupancy-tenants are those who owe their rights to the twelve years' rule embodied in Act X of 1859. With respect to this class, the officers of the Settlement Department were instructed by Circular G 'to make it clear to all parties that any record of occupancy-right

based solely upon possession for 12 years is made subject to any future alteration of the law.' It is in consequence of this saving clause that tenants belonging to this class are often spoken of as conditional occupancy-tenants. They hold from father to son, and are, under the law as it stands, liable to enhancement of rent only on the grounds specified in section 17 of Act X of 1859, that is to say, on the ground either that the rents are below the rates prevailing in the neighbourhood; that there has been an increase in the value of the produce or of the productive power of the holding; or that there has been an increase in the area of the holding.

"The circumstances of Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpur were found to require special and exceptional treatment, and in those three districts the settlement which was effected was, in point of fact, a raiyatwárí settlement. The rights of tenants in Chánda and Nimár are at present determined under a resolution of the Government of India, dated the 21st of June, 1865. Under this resolution, all tenants who held land (other than sír land) on that date, and all tenants who might take up land after that date without a written lease, became occupancy-tenants, and were declared to hold on a tenure which was described as "the customary tenure," and the main incidents of which are as follows:—

"i.—It is heritable, both lineally and collaterally.

"ii.—The right is transferable to a co-sharer by inheritance or to an heir-expectant.

"iii.—If the rent was fixed by a Settlement-officer before the date of the resolution, it is to remain fixed during the term of settlement. Otherwise the landlord can apply *once*, and once only, during the term of settlement to enhance the rent up to the maximum rate recorded for the class of soil held by the tenant.

"iv.—The tenant has the right to improve.

"v.—The power of sub-letting is restricted.

"All the land in Nimár and, practically, all the land in Chánda appears from recent returns to be held by tenants who are described either as absolute or as conditional occupancy-tenants.

"In the case of Sambalpur, the Government of India intervened before proprietary rights were conferred or recognized as existing in any person between the State and the cultivator, and decided that the village headman or *gaontia* was to be the proprietor only of his *sír* or *bhógra* land, and was to have the right of collecting the revenue and managing the village; that the persons (if any) holding sír land under him were to be his tenants-at-will; that during the term of settlement he was to have the privilege of creating raiyats on waste land, and that the revenue thence derived was to be his during that term, but that he was not to charge them more than the village-rates as fixed at the time of settlement. All other raiyats are Government raiyats, paying revenue and not rent, and not liable to eviction except for non-payment of revenue.

"I have dwelt on these particulars, at the risk of being tedious, because they explain the special references in the Bill to Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpur, and show that what might otherwise appear to be arbitrary differences of treatment are due to the desire to make no greater alteration than is necessary in the existing state of things.

"The broad result is that, subject to the special peculiarities which I have noticed, the tenantry of the Central Provinces may at present be divided into three classes, namely:—

"i.—Absolute occupancy-tenants.

"ii.—Occupancy or conditional occupancy-tenants.

"iii.—Ordinary tenants not protected by any special provision of the law or entry on the village-papers.

"I understand that about 37 per cent. of the total number of tenants have occupancy-rights, and it appears from some returns which have been recently

laid before the Select Committee that about 7-12ths of the total acreage under cultivation is held either by absolute or by conditional occupancy-tenants.*

"These, then, are the circumstances with which we have to deal. We found a body of cultivators paying revenue to the State through their village-headmen. Under, and for the purposes of, the revenue-system which we introduced, we converted the headmen into proprietors or landlords, the cultivators into their tenants, and the payments made by the cultivators into rent. We took a man who had no motive but to make a fair apportionment of the State demand and who, even after he became a contractor for, or a farmer of, that demand, did not conceive that he could reap a legitimate profit by enhancing the rents of the raiyat; we took this man and made him proprietor of the soil. We made the Government raiyats his tenants, and we gave him a legal power to raise his rents and at the same time a motive for exercising that power. Instead of using our utmost endeavours to squeeze out of him every penny which he could succeed in extracting by fair means or foul from the cultivator of the soil, we reduced his revenue-assessments to such a level as left him a substantial margin of profit; and we secured him in the enjoyment of this margin for a long term of years. Thus, whereas in the earlier settlements of Hoshangábád we took 85 per cent. from the málguzár, leaving him only 15 per cent. for expenses of collection, we reduced the amount thus taken to 66 per cent. in 1838, when a twenty years' settlement was made, and we further reduced it to 50 per cent. in 1861, which was the date of the last settlement. We saw, indeed, that the changes which we had introduced would tend to benefit the new proprietary class unduly at the expense of the cultivators, and we endeavoured to give the latter some kind of protection, partly by means of a law which, having been framed for a widely different set of conditions, was applied as a temporary makeshift to the Central Provinces, but mainly by means of stipulations and declarations inserted in the settlement-records. But we always recognized the imperfect, provisional and transitory nature of the arrangements thus made.

"Under these circumstances, there will be little dispute either as to the necessity for legislation, or as to the main principles on which legislation should proceed.

"The necessity for legislation was recognized as long ago as 1873, when Mr. Jones, now Chief Commissioner, was entrusted with the duty of framing a suitable law for regulating the relation of landlord and tenant in the Central Provinces.

"And as to the principles of legislation, it is clear that we must not allow what was intended to be a boon to the immediate revenue-payers to be a curse to those from whom the revenue is ultimately derived. In giving the proprietary right to one class, the Government neither intended nor had a right to injure the status of another and much larger class; and if it is found that the change which we have introduced has injured that status, we are not only justified in devising, but bound to devise, measures for remedying that evil. Our object then should be to protect the tenant, so far as it is practicable to protect him, by legislation, and the only question is what form that protection should take. For the purpose of explaining the proposals made by the Bill with this object, I will remind you of the several classes of tenants with whom we have to deal, and will show how the Bill proposes to deal with each.

"There are, as I have said, in the existing state of things, three main classes of tenants—absolute occupancy-tenants, conditional occupancy-tenants, and a third class who are usually described as tenants-at-will, and who are in fact given no special protection by the law. The Bill recognizes these three

* See Paper No. 30 to the Bill.

	Acres.
Area of absolute occupancy-tenants' holdings	3,232,173
Do. conditional do. do. do.	3,861,304
Total area held by absolute or conditional occupancy-tenants ...	7,093,177
Area held by other tenants	5,336,014
Total	12,429,191

classes, and adds to them a fourth, that of sub-tenants, whom, however, it treats very curtly.

"The absolute occupancy-tenant is left by the Bill very much as he stands under the existing record-of-rights. His rent is fixed for the term of settlement, and cannot be altered during that time, except on the ground of an improvement made by the landlord or of a material increase, diminution or deterioration of his holding. He cannot be ejected. His rights are heritable, and are transferable subject to certain restrictions which I will mention. In the first draft of the Bill it was proposed to deprive absolute occupancy-tenants of the power of transfer, on the ground that, by leading them into debt, it was proving their destruction. There is, no doubt, much to be said for this view, but I think that the more powerful arguments are against it. The rights conferred on these tenants at settlement were made part and parcel of the settlement-contract in order to remove them, if possible, from the field of legislation. Their holdings have in not a few instances changed hands, and the purchasers have acted on the understanding that they had bought a marketable commodity. It may be that the improvident have lost their lands, but those who remain are presumably the more prudent and thrifty of their class, and are not likely to appreciate an interference which will undoubtedly lessen the value of their property. Moreover, I am myself somewhat sceptical about the possibility of preventing the transfer of rights of this kind when they once have been placed on a secure legal basis.

"Accordingly, the Bill allows the absolute occupancy-tenant to transfer his rights, but his power of transfer is not altogether unfettered.

"Under the settlement-rules, the tenant of this class had an unlimited power of mortgage; but, if he sold his tenure, the landlord had a right either to claim a fine or to buy the tenure at a fixed price. We found it very difficult to express the exact conditions laid down by the settlement; and we have altered them in two directions. On the one hand, in the interest of the landlord, we have treated a mortgage above a certain value as equivalent to a sale; on the other, in the interest of the tenants, we have abolished the fixed price at which the landlord might under the settlement-rules claim to buy, and have left the price to be equitably determined in each case by a Revenue-officer.

"Some objections have been raised on behalf of the landlords to this change. But I think a consideration of the section (38) will show that what we have done is, on the whole, the fairest way of dealing with the matter. As the right of pre-emption has hitherto stood, it could always be evaded by a mortgage. And as the price fixed at settlement—five times the annual rent—was left farther and farther behind the real value of the land, the landlord's right would have been generally defeated in this way.

"Next come the twelve years' men, those who have acquired occupancy-rights under the operation of the twelve years' rule in Act X, but whose rights were, under Circular G, expressly made subject to any alteration in the law. The persons belonging to this class are in the Bill called simply occupancy-tenants, and the class is so defined as to include all persons who have, up to the present date, acquired the rights to which I have referred.

"With respect to this class it was generally admitted that their rents ought to be fixed by superior authority and not left to competition; and the most important questions with respect to them were two—for what period should their rents be fixed, and by what standard?

"First, as to the period for which the rents should be fixed.

"In answering this question regard must be had to the special circumstances of the Central Provinces. There are parts of the country, such as the North-Western Provinces, in which the weight of argument appears to be strongly in favour of fixing the rents of occupancy-tenants for the full term of settlement; but the circumstances of those regions differ widely from the circumstances of the Central Provinces. In the North-Western Provinces the country has long been opened up; rents have attained a high general level; population is dense; competition for land is keen; the revenue is probably as high in most districts as it ought to be.

"To the Central Provinces none of these statements apply. The country is in its infancy; population is sparse; rents are low; the effects of introducing roads and railways are only just beginning to be felt. If in a country such as this rents were fixed for the period of settlement, the result would be that there would be a very large beneficial interest given to the cultivator, sub-letting would be encouraged, and, when the time comes for revising the assessment, great hardship would probably be caused to the tenant by the necessity of ordering a sudden and serious increase in his rent.

"This being so, the late Chief Commissioner and the local Committee to whom he referred the Bill for consideration came to the conclusion—a conclusion which the Select Committee have adopted—that it would be wise to provide for some enhancement of rent during the term of settlement, and the Bill has made such provision accordingly, but under conditions which guard against the rent being increased (except for landlord's improvements or increase in area) more than once in ten years.

"Next, as to the standard by which these rents should be fixed. The Bill as first introduced provided for the determination of these rents primarily on the basis of the settlement-rates and other customary rates paid by tenants of the same class. But it was found that, mainly in consequence of the non-existence of anything that could properly be called customary rates, there would be a difficulty in applying this standard; and accordingly the Bill in its present form simply directs (by section 42) the Settlement-officer to fix the rent of the holding of every occupancy-tenant at each settlement of the area in which the holding is comprised, and empowers the Chief Commissioner (section 82) to make rules for the officer's guidance in fixing rents. Our desire is that the rents should be fixed at such a rate as will leave the tenant a reasonable margin of profit without trenching too widely on the share either of his immediate landlord or of the State; but we doubt whether this principle can be satisfactorily embodied in any hard-and-fast legislative enactment, and accordingly we have thought it safer to leave the point to be dealt with by executive instructions.

"I have said that provision is made for raising the rent of these tenants during the term of settlement. It may be so raised by order of a Revenue-officer on the application of the landlord; and the Bill as submitted to the Council last December directed that such an order might be made if the rent of the occupancy-tenant was less than three-fourths of the rate usually paid by ordinary (that is to say, non-occupancy) tenants of holdings situate in the same or adjoining tahsíls for lands of similar quality with like advantages, and that, if the order was made, the rents were to be raised to three-fourths of those rates. This direction has, however, been objected to from two points of view, first, as tending to raise the rent of occupancy-tenants to an excessive rate, and secondly, as tending to unduly hamper officers in fixing rents at the term of settlement. I think that sufficient answers may be found to both of these objections; but, on the other hand, it was not easy to see why, if the discretion of officers in fixing rent at settlement was left uncontrolled by any hard-and-fast legislative direction, it should not be left to the same extent uncontrolled during the term of settlement. We have accordingly omitted from the present draft of section 46 any reference to the standard supplied by the rents of ordinary tenants, and have left such directions as may be required for the guidance of officers in acting under the section to be supplied by rules made under section 82.

"With respect to the devolution of an occupancy-tenant's rights on death, we have not modified the original proposals of the Bill. His rights are to descend as if they were land, except that they are not to go to a collateral relative unless he was at the tenant's death a co-sharer in the holding. This is the rule of inheritance which under the North-Western Provinces Rent Act applies to tenants holding at fixed rates. An exception has been made in the case of the three districts of Chánda, Nimár and Sambalpur. In these districts, where, as I have said, the settlement is virtually raiyatwárí, the rights of an occupancy-tenant are expressly declared by the settlement-record to be heritable collaterally as well as lineally; and accordingly we have left them so. But in the

other districts, where no fixed rule of inheritance appears to have been established by usage or prescribed by authority, we have thought it desirable, whilst recognising the heritable character of the right, not to saddle it more than necessary with the complicated rules of Hindu succession.

"We have restricted the power of an occupancy-tenant to transfer his holding to cases where the transfer is made to a person who would be an heir, or is a co-sharer, or is made with the landlord's consent; and we have provided that his right shall not be sold in execution of a decree. And, after various attempts to deal with the difficult question of sub-letting, we have come to the conclusion that it is impracticable to do more than impose on sub-letting the same restrictions as are imposed on transfer in the ordinary sense of the word; that is to say, a tenant may not sub-let without his landlord's consent, unless his sub-tenant is a co-sharer or an expectant heir.

"I now come to the most difficult class of all,—the class who are described in the Bill as ordinary tenants. The position of this class under the existing law is this. They have no rights conferred on them by the law or by the terms of the settlement-record, except that, if they remain long enough on their land, they rise, under the operation of the twelve years' rule in Act X, to the status of occupancy-tenants.

"The Bill as first introduced maintained the twelve years' rule and allowed the growth of occupancy-rights. Recognising, however, the tendency of that rule to induce landlords to shift and harass their tenants, the authors of the Bill provided a machinery to protect the tenant during the term of growth of his rights. This arrangement, which I need not explain in detail, introduced in point of fact a new class of tenant, likewise deriving his rights from lapse of time or prescription and liable to lose them under certain conditions. These proposals met with much criticism and opposition from many sides, and the late Chief Commissioner and the local committee, after giving the proposals long and careful consideration, came to the conclusion that they ought to be abandoned.

"This being so, the proverbial three courses appeared to be open to us. We might either leave things alone, maintaining the existing twelve years' rule, and allowing the present race of tenants-at-will to struggle by means of it into the position of occupancy-tenants or, we might give a right of occupancy to all cultivators of every class, or, thirdly, we might do away with the twelve-years' rule and devise some other means for protecting all tenants who have not acquired occupancy-rights.

"Before explaining the course which the local committee ultimately recommended, and which the Select Committee decided to adopt, let me remind you briefly of the facts with which we have to deal. The most important are these—

"(1) The twelve-years' rule was never introduced into the Central Provinces otherwise than provisionally and tentatively; it has never become in these Provinces part of the established law of the land.

"(2) Up to a recent time in all parts of the Provinces, and up to the present time in many, perhaps most, parts of them, the competition has been for tenants, not for land, and landlords have been indifferent to the growth of occupancy-rights.

"(3) This state of things is now altering, and appears likely to alter with increasing rapidity. The number of notices to quit issued in the districts of the Narbada Valley, which is the part of the Provinces most affected by recent improvements of communication, has become very significant, and manifests a growing inclination on the part of landlords to prevent the growth of occupancy-rights and to make enhancements.

"Now, the objections to the twelve-years' rule are obvious. It gives the tenant during the currency of the twelve years the most insecure of all titles—a title by sufferance: it supplies the landlord with a powerful additional motive to evict. Where it has been deliberately and permanently engrafted into the law of the land, and has for a considerable time constituted part of that law,

the balance of argument may be in favour of retaining it, with such modifications and supplementary provisions as may be necessary for preventing landlords from reducing it to a nullity. But, as I have shown, in the Central Provinces this is not the case. The rule was introduced there merely as a stop-gap, not as a permanent settlement of the question. It may, indeed, be said that it has nevertheless worked well so far, that the growth of rights under it is steady, and that in most parts of the Provinces it has not produced friction between landlord and tenant or led to the increase of evictions. There is much truth in this, but, on the other hand, we cannot shut our eyes to the economic changes which are going on, and which must inevitably at no distant future produce the effects which they have produced in other Provinces. Prevention is better than cure, and the very fact that the present relations between landlord and tenant are comparatively harmonious supplies a powerful argument in favour of intervening now to devise, if we possibly can, some measures for the protection of the tenant which may be free from the defect shown by experience to be inherent in the twelve-years' rule.

"On the whole, then, having regard to the obvious imperfections of the twelve-years' rule, and to its recent and provisional introduction, we decided to abandon it, except so far as rights had already grown up under it, and to stop the further growth of occupancy-rights by lapse of time.

"Should we then fix the rents of all classes of tenants for a term, and thus give them all occupancy-rights? This is evidently the most thorough-going remedy against rack-renting, but it involves official interference of a very strenuous and prolonged character, and the local committee were of opinion that, other considerations apart, the time had not come for imposing so heavy a burden on an already overtasked administration. Whatever may be the case in the older Provinces, uniform rates of rent are not, I understand, to be found in the Central Provinces;* and, in the absence of such guides, the task of fixing the rent of every tenant for a term of years would be one of extreme magnitude. It would practically amount to a regular settlement. When we consider tha the Province passed through the ordeal of settlement barely 15 years ago, that a settlement is one of the most costly luxuries in which the State can indulge, and that no increase of revenue can be looked for, we shall readily agree with the local committee that the universal ascertainment and settling of rents is a measure not at present desirable.

"There remained the adoption of some new method of protection, and the method which the local committee eventually made up their mind to recommend was the method of compensation against disturbance. This is the proposal which is embodied in the Bill. The tenant's rent may be enhanced by agreement. If he agrees to the enhancement demanded by the landlord, no further enhancement may be made for seven years. In other words, he gets a seven years' lease at the enhanced rent. If he refuses to agree to the enhancement, the landlord may evict him, but must pay him as compensation a multiple of the sum demanded as enhancement. After much discussion we have fixed the multiple at seven times the yearly increase of rent demanded. The tenant cannot be ejected except for non-payment of rent, or on certain other grounds which are specified in the Bill.

"The great argument in favour of this proposal is that it compels the parties by the pressure of self-interest to decide what is a fair rent. If the tenant refuses a fair demand for an increase, he will be liable to lose his holding for an insufficient recompense. If the landlord makes an unfair demand, he may have to buy out the tenant at a cost which he can never recover. The scheme may indeed be objected to on the ground that, although based on a precedent derived from Ireland, there is no precedent for it in the Indian Statute-book, and that it constitutes a new departure in Indian legislation. The same objection might have been urged—was, if I am not mistaken, urged—

* "The most rudimentary idea of rent-rates does not exist here, and the greatest anomalies in practice are found. Nothing could be more common than to find two contiguous fields allowed by the holders to be exactly equal in quality and productiveness, yet one paying double the rate of rent paid by the other."—(Hoshangábád Settlement Report, p. 201.)

against the principle of compensation for improvements which has, now for many years, been embodied in the law of landlord and tenant for the Panjáb, Oudh and the North-Western Provinces, and will, I hope, before long form part of the law of landlord and tenant for Bengal. But those who denounce this and similar proposals as new-fangled and exotic should remember that in India settled laws and, to a great extent, property in land are exotics, and that in the Central Provinces they are exotics of very recent importation. We have, by the measures which we have introduced, created entirely new rights and entirely new relations. The general effect of these measures is, we believe, beneficial to the country, but they have produced, or are likely to produce, certain results which we did not intend, which are likely to be pernicious, and against which we are bound to guard. The rights themselves being novel, it is not a matter for surprise that the safeguards which are necessary to prevent an abuse of those rights should be novel also; and in the Central Provinces more than in most parts of the country we have something resembling a *tabula rasa* to work upon. There are comparatively few traces of existing customary rights on which to found our law. The whole position is novel, and demands novel treatment.

"The mere novelty, then, of the proposals constitutes no substantial objection to their adoption. Far more serious are the arguments that they will prove in practice an insufficient protection against rack-renting. We have not overlooked these arguments, and we admit their force in the case of countries where there is a keen struggle for land, and where population is redundant and has no outlet. But it seems a fair reply to say that at the present time these conditions do not exist in the Central Provinces. Compensation for disturbance constitutes a check on capricious eviction. Whether that check will be sufficient, whether it is likely to be surmounted or got round, is a question which turns mainly on the habits and nature of landlord and tenant, and on the amount of demand for land. These are points about which I am not competent to give an opinion; and all that I can say is that, in the belief of those who are most competent from local experience to form a judgment on these points, the proposals embodied in the Bill will work well, and will give an effectual protection to the cultivator for some time to come. If the Bill does this, if for some considerable time to come it is found sufficient to protect the tenant against capricious eviction, and to secure him in possession of his holding as long as he pays a fair rent, it will have done all that we can reasonably hope to accomplish.

"Except in respect of the procedure for enhancement of rent, there is practically no difference between the position of the occupancy-tenant and that of the so-called ordinary tenant under the Bill. The rights of the ordinary tenant are heritable and transferable, under the same restrictions as those which apply to the occupancy-tenant; he is protected from ejectment except in execution of a decree which can only be obtained on specified grounds, and he cannot contract himself out of this protection.

"Under these circumstances, it is doubtful whether he would gain much by being made in name an occupancy-tenant. However, the Bill provides him with a means of acquiring that status, if he desires to do so. It gives him the right of purchasing the status of occupancy-tenant by the payment of a fixed sum equal to 2½ years' rent. This proposal is in accordance with the views of the Famine Commissioners, and may, I think, be fairly regarded as a proper and necessary consequence of the abolition of the twelve-years' rule. It will enable the prudent and thrifty to raise their status.

"This provision has indeed been considered by the landlords as an injury and infringement of their rights. But we fail to see that it can do any substantial injury to that class. We have provided that, before a tenant can claim to complete the purchase of an occupancy-right, his rent may be raised to the full average ordinary standard. Thus, a landlord will get Rs. 250 for every Rs. 100 of rent, and that sum, if invested, will suffice to protect him from the small future loss which the tenant's right of holding at a beneficial rate may hereafter cause him.

"The provisions with respect to transfer and sub-letting by an ordinary tenant are, as I have said, substantially the same as in the case of an occupancy-tenant.

"The mention of sub-letting naturally leads me to the fourth class of tenants dealt with by the Bill—the class of sub-tenants. The chapter on sub-tenants is very short—almost as short as the famous chapter on snakes in Iceland—and there are doubtless many persons who would wish that its brevity were due to the same cause. I cannot say that sub-tenants do not exist in the Central Provinces, but I believe I am right in saying that they are comparatively scarce. I am informed that only 22,000 persons have returned themselves as belonging to this class. We have in other parts of the Bill, whilst admitting the expediency of discouraging the practice of sub-letting, admitted the impossibility of preventing the practice when it has once grown up. And when we came to consider what rights should be attached to their status, the conclusion to which we ultimately came was that, at all events in the present condition of the Central Provinces, the need for giving them legal protection was not such as to outweigh the disadvantages arising from the creation of successive strata of privileged classes one superimposed above another. In the Bill which was presented with our third report we had inserted a proviso, the object of which was to protect the sub-tenants of certain absolute occupancy-tenants from excessive enhancement of rents. But, on further consideration, we have come to the conclusion that the protection thus proposed to be given can be safely dispensed with; and accordingly we have omitted the proviso.

"Such of the other provisions of the Bill as it is necessary to refer to relate not to any particular class of tenants, but to tenants in general. Of this kind are the provisions relating to the right to make, and be compensated for, improvements, and the provisions as to distraint.

"The Bill gives the first right to make improvements, in some cases to the landlord, in others to the tenant, but provides that neither party shall be able to prevent the other from making an improvement which he himself is unable or unwilling to make. We have enabled the landlord to obtain an immediate increase of rent for any improvement made by him or at his expense, and at the same time we have made him liable to pay compensation to an ejected tenant for any improvements made by the latter.

"In dealing with the procedure for recovery of rent, we have gone as far as we think safe towards abolishing distraint. What we have retained is, in fact, not distraint. It merely amounts to a recognition that the rent is a first charge on the produce of the land, and, as it embodies, it is believed, the customary procedure of the country, we hope it will work well. The greater security we have given to the tenants will make them much more eager to retain their holdings, and will render the recovery of rent more easy. I believe the experience of the Court of Wards estates goes to show that it is not the occupancy-tenant, but the man who has no rights, who is usually in arrears. Distraint in the form laid down by Act X of 1859 has been almost unknown in the Provinces. But it is believed that, in accordance with old custom, landlords have usually prevented an unsafe tenant from removing his produce until he paid his rent; and the provisions in the Bill are devised for the purpose of legalising, while guarding against the abuse of, this practice. In the last draft of the Bill we have, by an addition to section 17, made a slight extension in the lien given to the landlord over his tenant's crops when stored.

"In minor matters, we have provided for the protection and equitable treatment of the tenants. For example, section 8 provides for the case where there are several landlords; section 9 for the deposit of rent in a Government treasury; section 16 for the commutation of rent payable in kind; sections 25 to 28 for the avoidance of disputes when rents are paid in kind or by estimate of the crop; section 73 gives the Court power to suspend or remit arrears of rent in cases of drought or calamity; section 74 gives the Court equitable power in dealing with cases of forfeiture of the holding for the breach of a lease, &c.; and section 75 provides for the rights of an ejected tenant in respect of crops on the ground or of land prepared for sowing. All these are measures of help and protection to the tenant, which ought to better his condition. They may restrain

or prevent the abuse of power by bad landlords, but no honest and just landlord can fairly object to them.

"The objection brought against the Bill generally by the landlords is that it is a one-sided measure. Any law of this kind must in a certain sense be one-sided. It is avowedly an attempt to strengthen the hands of the tenant against the landlord, and to prevent the abuse of power. Every such law starts with postulating that the parties are not on equal terms. The objection of one-sidedness must therefore be met by an admission. The Bill is necessarily one-sided, but it is not unfair. The question is, does the Bill deny to the landlord anything that is justly his, or does it unduly control the actions of a good landlord? This question must, I think, be answered in the negative. No good landlord would desire to evict his tenants or harass them by continual changes of land; no good landlord would ask more than a fair rent; no good landlord would desire to confiscate his tenant's improvements, or to force him to pay rent when a calamity had destroyed his produce.

"But a truer description of the Bill is, in my opinion, that it is not one-sided, but compensatory,—compensatory for the additional rights which we have given to the proprietors or landlords by our revenue-system, and for the additional powers of enforcing those rights which we have given them by our law Courts. Without such supplementary legislation as this, our system of administration would have been justly exposed to the charge of being not only one-sided, but unfair. For, just consider who these 'proprietors' were, and what we have made them. Take, for instance, the case, to which I have already referred, of the Hoshangábád málguzár. Forty-five years ago he was a middleman receiving a commission of 15 per cent. out of the rents which he collected for the State. He now gets half the rents, and what we propose to do is to prevent him from arbitrarily increasing that half.

"In the matter of jurisdiction, we have endeavoured to make the Bill as simple as possible. There are two classes of cases which will arise under the law: one which partakes of an executive character; the other which is of a judicial nature. In the former, we give the executive Revenue-officers jurisdiction; in the latter, we give jurisdiction to the Civil Courts. But, in order to secure in the judges that acquaintance with agricultural and revenue affairs which is necessary for the efficient treatment of this class of cases, it has been provided that a judge of a Civil Court of original jurisdiction shall not, unless he is also a Revenue-officer or Settlement-officer, hear suits under the Act. As the Courts of the Provinces are at present constituted, almost every civil judge of original jurisdiction is also a Revenue-officer. This, however, is a state of things which may not always exist.

"These, then, are the proposals to which we ask this Council to give the force of law. They are, as I said at the opening of my speech, the product of local experience, and framed with special reference to local conditions and local requirements. It so happens that the gentleman to whom just ten years ago the task of framing this law was entrusted has now become Chief Commissioner of the Provinces to which it is to apply. The Bill has been submitted to him for his consideration since he assumed his present office; and, as its provisions differ in some important respects from the provisions of the draft which he originally prepared, it is a matter of no small satisfaction to be informed by him, as we have been informed, that the Bill in its present form appears to him to be an excellent Bill; and that, when he finds that, although its purport has been made known to the people, there has been no serious agitation against it, and that it has been accepted by the late Chief Commissioner, not to mention the distinguished, experienced and careful officers who gave it its final shape, he feels that he may safely assent to its being proceeded with and undertake to work it. He doubtless recognizes that, though the machinery which it adopts is in some respects different from that which he originally suggested and would possibly still prefer, yet the principles on which it is based are identical, and believes that it is likely to attain the same end though by a somewhat different road.

"I hope that a similar view will be taken of the Bill by those who, accepting as sound the general principles on which it proposes to proceed, judge it in

the light of experience derived from other parts of India. For instance, there are obvious differences between the provisions which we have embodied in the present Bill and the provisions which we have embodied in the Bill which is now pending for the regulation of the relations of landlord and tenant in Bengal. There are also differences between the law which we propose for the Central Provinces and the law of landlord and tenant as it stands now in the Panjáb and in the North-West.

"We have not overlooked these differences, but it appears to us that they are not greater than are warranted by what I may venture to call the radical differences between the circumstances of the Central Provinces and the circumstances of, say, Bengal—differences arising out of their past history, their recent treatment and their present economic condition. In the sketch which I have given of the institutions which we found in existence when we took over these Provinces and of the institutions which we introduced into them, I have endeavoured to illustrate some of these differences, and I will not elaborate them further now. But what I would impress on the Council is this, that whilst we have declined to admit that provisions which may be suitable or necessary for Bengal are therefore suitable or necessary for the Central Provinces, so we desire to guard against committing ourselves or any one else to the view that provisions which, on authority of great weight, we have accepted and adopted as suitable and sufficient for the Central Provinces, are therefore suitable or sufficient for Bengal, for the Panjáb, for the North-Western Provinces, or, in short, for any other part of India, except that to which we propose to apply them."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that to section 55 of the Bill the following be added, namely :—

"or that the holding consists entirely of sír-land."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that in section 56, after the words "an ordinary tenant," the following be inserted, namely :—"whose holding does not consist entirely of sír-land and."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that to section 62 the following be added, namely :—

"(5) Nothing in this section shall apply to a holding consisting entirely of sír-land."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. BARKLEY moved that in section 11, after the words "not exceeding," where they first occur, the words "five hundred rupees or when" be omitted; and that the words "exceeds five hundred rupees, not exceeding double that amount or value," at the end of the section, be omitted. He said :—

"My Lord, as I have given notice of some amendments to the Bill, it is, I think, due to the Council to state that I have never been employed in the Central Provinces, and have had no special opportunity of becoming acquainted with the tenures prevailing in that part of the country. If I had reason to suppose that any other Member of this Council was in a better position in this respect, I should have hesitated to propose any amendments until I had first consulted him. But, while I must admit that I may have been led into error in some points by want of knowledge of the country to be legislated for, I do not think that the risk of this is enough to excuse me from giving my best consideration to any Bill that the Council is asked to pass into law; and it is after a careful examination of the Bill and of the papers circulated with it, that I have come to the conclusion that legislation on the subject is necessary, but that some of the provisions of the Bill are open to objection, while on other points I have been led by a perusal of the papers to accept provisions in regard to the propriety of which I was in the first instance doubtful.

"I have not been consciously influenced by any theory as to what the relations of landlord and tenant ought to be. I have rather endeavoured to ascertain what relations have hitherto existed between these classes in the Central Provinces, and how far the proposals of the Bill to define and improve these relations are consistent with the equitable claims of both parties. The note of the present Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, Mr. Jones, on the original draft of the Bill, of which he was the author, supplies much information as to the position of tenants in the Central Provinces, both anterior to British rule and during the period of transition which preceded the formation of regular settlements and the extension of Act X of 1859 to those Provinces, and further information on the same subject is to be found in some of the opinions collected with reference to Bill No. 1, which are to be found in Paper No. 11, especially those given by Colonel Lucie Smith, Commissioner of Chhattísgarh.

"The period of the introduction of regular settlements is of special importance, as it was then that steps were first taken to ascertain the persons to whom proprietary rights belonged, the previous policy of the British authorities in the Ságar and Narbada territories, which had long been under British rule, having been to withhold 'any recognition of positive rights of ownership.' The instructions of the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces for the settlement of those territories, issued in November, 1853, are to be found in Appendix XX to Sir William Muir's edition of the 'Directions for Settlement Officers.' In paragraph 12 of these instructions it was directed that the settlement should be 'concluded on the basis of apparent, or approximate, proprietary right, in so far as such right can with any certainty or confidence be traced, and that the leading object in so doing' should 'be to recognise fixed rights, or claims and interests, in whatever form they may already have grown up.' But 'the subject being one of much admitted obscurity and doubt,' paragraph 13 provided that, 'in order to avoid any future contest or litigation with respect to the rights declared in the settlement-proceedings,' the proprietary title should be formally conferred in every case as 'the creation or free gift of the Government.' Paragraph 16 again refers to cases in which village-communities might be found to have preserved rights having 'the character of a proprietary interest in the soil of an entire village'; while the 14th, 15th and 17th paragraphs relate to cases in which it was a matter of discretion whether the former málguzár, or the cultivators, should be recognised as proprietors. In such cases, provision was made for cultivators who had been in possession since 1840 being declared proprietors of their holdings, while the person who had hitherto engaged for the revenue, rather from a hereditary tenure of service than from any exclusive right of ownership or occupancy over the whole village-lands,' might be recognized, subject to the rights thus conferred upon the cultivators, as the proprietor of the village. In all cases, a careful ascertainment and record of all subordinate tenures and interests was prescribed by paragraph 18.

"It is clear from these instructions that the Lieutenant-Governor did not regard the Ságar and Narbada territories as a *tabula rasa*, throughout which no trace of proprietary rights existed, so that it was open to the Government to confer them at pleasure. On the contrary, he carefully provided for the recognition of all existing rights, whether proprietary or subordinate, while he also proposed to confer a proprietary title in cases where proprietary rights were either non-existent or the indications of them were so weak that there was serious difficulty in determining to what persons they belonged.

"When the Nágpur Province, which was annexed in 1854, came under regular settlement, the principle laid down in these instructions appears to have been followed, and there also it is probable that, while in many cases proprietary rights had been extinguished, in others they were easily discoverable. Mr. Jones refers to the existence of village-communities, 'though,' he says, 'they are as a rule less highly organized than in the North-Western Provinces,' and he guards against its being supposed that his remarks as to the original uniformity of tenures in the Central Provinces refer to anything else than 'the relative position of cultivator and málguzár.' They must not, he says, 'be understood as applicable to the rights of málguzár as against the State, or to the constitution

of proprietary bodies and their rights, *inter se*.' When he refers to 'the creation of proprietary right,' he evidently alludes to the cases where such right was conferred upon the *patáls*, through whom the revenue was paid, though they had no real claim to it.

"I have considered it necessary to make these remarks, as in some of the papers submitted to the Council it has been assumed that proprietary rights in the Central Provinces are entirely the creation of the British Government. In a letter by Mr. Lindsay Neill, dated 27th June, 1882, it is not, indeed, assumed, but it is argued at some length, that this is the case. The Lieutenant-Governor in 1853 is likely to have been better informed as to the existence at that time of proprietary rights than local officials 29 years after, more especially as the form of a grant which was adopted was calculated to give rise to the impression that such rights were being conferred for the first time. I do not, however, think that it is a question of much importance whether any proprietary rights existed in the Ságar and Narbada territories thirty years ago, or in the Nágpur Province 20 years ago. The recognition of such rights as already existed would give them new strength, and, when these rights were conferred for the first time by the British Government, no one, I am sure, would now propose to take them away. But still it is worthy of notice that, even when new rights were granted, care was enjoined to ascertain and record all existing rights; and, so far as this was attended to, the grants made cannot have curtailed or endangered any rights belonging to others. The fact, which, I think, Mr. Jones has clearly proved, that rent as distinguished from revenue is, in the Central Provinces, a creation of our rule, is much more material than the origin of proprietary rights, as this fact, combined with the demand for cultivators, goes far to explain the favoured position which even ordinary tenants appear as a rule to have hitherto enjoyed in those provinces.

"It is also clear, both from Mr. Jones' note and from the other papers which have been circulated, that the extension of Act X of 1859 to the Central Provinces has in some parts of the country acted prejudicially to the tenants without rights of occupancy, while in others the general recognition of their claims not to be disturbed in their holdings, so long as they are willing to pay a fair rent, and probably also the amount of land available for cultivation, have hitherto preserved them from injury. On this ground, as well as because Act X of 1859 was originally passed for a country very differently circumstanced from the Central Provinces, and has been shown to be in many respects unsuited to those Provinces, I admit the necessity for legislation.

"And, as regards the measure now before the Council, I may at once say that many of its provisions have my hearty approval. Some of the points on which it appears to me open to objection have been put right by the amendments moved by my hon'ble friend the mover of the Bill, though these do not remove the objections to which the explanation attached to the definition of sír-land in section 3 appear to me to be open. As, however, that explanation has been accepted by this Council when it passed Act XVIII of 1881, I have not seen my way to propose to strike it out. But there appears to be considerable danger that, when a proprietor, who may be aged or infirm, a minor or a female, or otherwise unable to arrange for the cultivation of his sír-land, is obliged to let it out to tenants, the lapse of six years will, under this explanation, extinguish his sír-rights, and he will be unable to get the land back when he becomes able to manage it. I have not overlooked the provision that land is not unoccupied by the proprietor when it is leased with an express reservation of his sír-rights; but, unless education has made greater progress in the Central Provinces than anywhere else in India, it will be long before the great majority of the proprietors know that any such express reservation is necessary, and in many cases there will be no written lease at all. In some of the papers which have been circulated I have noticed references to the ignorance of the Gonds and other classes who enjoy proprietary rights. I also observe that we have no information as to the extent to which land is held by cultivating proprietors in the Central Provinces, though we have very recently been furnished with information as to the area of land occupied

by tenants of the different classes recognized in the Bill. But the persons who were recognized at settlement as proprietors of their own holdings would be, as a rule, cultivating proprietors, though they may occasionally have tenants; and I gather that there must be a good deal of land occupied by cultivating proprietors from statements like that made in the memorial of the zamíndárs of the Damoh District (Paper No. 10), that 'in these Provinces the málguzárs are cultivators themselves, their sír-land generally forming the principal source of their income,' and from the persistence with which the proprietors have urged that sufficient provision has not been made against the growth of tenant-rights over their *sír* land. The explanation attached to the definition of sír-land is expressly objected to in Papers No. 14, No. 16 and No. 25, in the last of which it is pointed out that no such restriction is to be found in the North-Western Provinces Rent Act; and, where so much protection is given to ordinary tenants as is provided by Chapter VI of this Bill, it becomes extremely important that the amount of sír-land available for occupation by cultivating proprietors should not be reduced in consequence of its being occasionally let to tenants.

"While I have carefully studied the papers submitted to the Council, I am obliged to admit that we are legislating on very imperfect information. There has been no general criticism by local officials of any of the Bills subsequent to Bill No. I, though the Bill framed by the Pachmarhi Committee, on which Bill No. II was based, departed very widely from that Bill, and Bill No. III introduced some important provisions which did not appear in any of the earlier Bills. One of these provisions has been amended at the instance of the late Chief Commissioner, and some other amendments have been made, apparently in consequence of representations by landowners; but we have very little guarantee that the provisions of the Bill, as it now stands, are suited to the circumstances of the Central Provinces; and if the passing of some of the amendments now proposed should lead to the Bill being recommitted, I hope the opportunity will be taken to obtain the opinions of local officers on the suitability of those provisions to the country and for the people for whom it is proposed to enact them.

"I now come to the amendment to section 11.

"The words which I propose to strike out were first introduced into the section by Bill No. III. The effect of this amendment would be that, in case of exaction, the penalty which the tenant might recover would not exceed double the amount illegally levied. This is what was proposed by Bill No. III, which was founded upon the Bill drafted by the Pachmarhi Committee, and it corresponds with the provisions of section 48 of the North-Western Provinces Rent Act, XII of 1881.

"It is only in cases when the amount illegally exacted is very small that there could be any doubt whether double the amount would fully compensate the tenant; and small exactions are most likely to be attempted when the landlord believes that he is entitled to the money. Mistakes on a question of this nature may easily occur when the landlord is a cultivating proprietor no better informed than his tenants. The landlord may, for instance, think himself entitled to a small cess, which has been usually levied in the neighbourhood, but which is not, strictly speaking, part of the rent of the land, while, if the cess were unusual, it is almost certain that the tenants, protected as they will be under this Bill, would refuse to pay it. If a tenant finds that he has paid a rupee which was not due, he would probably be sufficiently compensated by a payment of two rupees, in addition to his expenses in recovering this sum, and no Court would award him Rs. 500; while, if he were persuaded to sue for that amount, he would render himself liable to heavy costs. If the act of the landlord amounts to extortion, he would, of course, be criminally, as well as civilly, liable.

"No reason was given in the Further Report of the Select Committee for providing a penalty not exceeding Rs. 500, nor does it appear from any of the papers that cases of exaction have been common in the Central Provinces. In one of the papers, a petition from the málguzárs of Raipur (No. 28), it is alleged

that 'the judicial records will prove that the málguzárs do not realize more than their just dues,' and the petitioners protest against being singled out as a special class of offenders and 'threatened with punishment for offences which they do not commit.'

"I propose the omission of the words adding this penalty, as I do not think that they will benefit the tenants, who may be tempted by them to sue for unduly large sums, while they are calculated to irritate the landlords."

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON said:—"My Lord, the object of this amendment is to limit the discretion of the Court by restricting the penalty, which it has power to impose in cases of illegal exaction of rent, to double the amount so exacted in excess of the rent payable. Cases are conceivable where such a penalty would be quite inadequate. In Act X of 1859, the corresponding provision was similar to that now proposed by my hon'ble friend, but the North-West Act of 1873, section 49, fixed the sum awardable to the tenant as compensation in such cases at a sum of Rs. 200 in addition to double the amount exacted, no doubt because the earlier provisions were found inadequate.

"The present Bill adopts the principle of naming a sum which the amount awarded is not to exceed, leaving it to the Court to decide what compensation or penalty is proper in each case. As a fact, the discretion may be in some cases more restricted than that given by the North-West Act; and, as exaction of rent is an offence which it is highly expedient to discourage, as any improper exercise of the discretion can be checked by the Appellate Courts, and as no evil consequences have been shown to result from this principle, already adopted by the legislature, I must express my opinion that there are not sufficient grounds for discarding it, and vote against the amendment."

The Hon'ble SIR STEUART BAYLEY said:—"My Lord, I also must oppose this amendment. My hon'ble friend would return to the penalty of twice the amount extorted. This was the old penalty in Act X of 1859, and how has it worked? Hardly ever have I known it worked. Yet it cannot be said that the extortion of illegal additions to the rent is unknown. The Members of this Council who heard the Hon'ble Major Baring's speech on the Bengal Tenancy Bill will recollect the interminable list of illegal cesses quoted by him from the correspondence of 1874 as taken in the 24-Parganas. The same correspondence showed how universal the complaint was, and left on me the impression that a cultivator might well have to pay a rupee extorted illegally for every two rupees he paid as legal rent; and the reason why such extortion is not suppressed by a mild penalty such as twice the amount extorted is obvious. The penalty could only be enforced after a special suit by the raiyat, with due formality and full proof in each case. This was not to be expected, and, as a matter of fact, the penalty was a useless threat. It is obviously worth the landlord's while to risk such a penalty, which would, if enforced, be nothing to him, though the extortion might be a great deal to the raiyat. No; if it is worth having a penalty at all, it should be substantial. Nor will such a penalty, as urged, be cumulative. The extortion may be general, but, unless each raiyat brings a suit, the penalty will not be cumulative; and in such cases each raiyat does not bring a suit. One raiyat will have to bell the cat, and, the penalty once enforced, the others might hope to get the advantage of it.

"The amount of penalty, it should be observed, is discretionary with the Court. We only fix the maximum. The Court may be trusted not to levy a penalty disproportionate to the offence. I must oppose the amendment."

The Motion was put and negatived.

The Hon'ble MR. BARKLEY also moved that in section 29, sub-section (2), after the words "an ordinary tenant," the words "whose holding does not consist entirely of sír-land" be inserted. He said:—

"My Lord, I have already pointed out that the protection of the proprietor's cultivating rights in his sír-land is the necessary complement of the provisions of the Bill in favour of tenants. If, then, he finds it convenient to let that land for a time, his tenant should not be allowed to insist on his making improvements, nor to make them himself unless with the landlord's consent. The North-Western Provinces Rent Act, XII of 1881, section

44, allows no tenants other than tenants at fixed rates or occupancy-tenants to claim compensation for improvements made without the consent of the landlord; and, under that Act, as under section 41 of the present Bill, occupancy-rights cannot be acquired in sír-land. The amendment proposed also seems in harmony with clause 4 of section 30, which, in providing for improvements made by tenants before this Act comes into force, excepts sír-land."

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON said:—"My Lord, there are few things in this country more necessary for the good of the community generally, and the welfare of the agricultural classes in particular, than that landlords and tenants should have the strongest inducements to effect improvements in the land held by them as a protection against famine, and a means of promoting increased production of food to meet the growing demands of a rapidly increasing number of mouths. All legal obstacles which obstruct the carrying out of improvements should be removed so far as this can justly be done. This amendment of my hon'ble friend, if accepted, will perpetuate, instead of removing, such an obstacle.

"It may be true that it will not operate in numerous cases, but still, if a cultivator of sír-land has the will and the means to make an improvement, it is certainly for the public advantage that he should be empowered by law to call on his landlord to make it, and, in case of the landlord's refusal, to make it himself. Amendments have been introduced by my hon'ble and learned friend in charge of the Bill which will guard the rights and interests of minors and widows in sír-land let to tenants. But it is of the highest importance that the capabilities of such land, as well as of all other land, should be developed at the earliest moment; and the reluctance of the landlord to allow of a tenant effecting such development from a chimerical fear that an unjust award of compensation might subsequently be given against him should not be allowed to outweigh the general good. He will, it is true, be liable to pay compensation for improvements, but the liability is measured by the increase given to the letting value of the land and other considerations stated in section 31, by which his interests are adequately protected."

The Hon'ble SIR STEUART BAYLEY said:—"My Lord, I am inclined to accept Mr. Barkley's amendment. I do not know much of the custom in the Central Provinces in regard to dealing with sír-land, but I should think the practical effect would be very small. If I understand rightly, the man who cultivates a málguzár's sír-land can rarely be considered a permanent tenant of that land. The landlord employs him practically as a labourer, giving him his payment in the shape of a share of the produce. The tenant's interest is from year to year, the landlord's interest is permanent; and I think it unfair to the landlord, in regard to land which is strictly his own, and in which the tenant has no durable interest, that the latter should be able to create an interest by making an improvement which his landlord may be unwilling or unable to make, thereby preventing the landlord from ousting him except at heavy expense. I draw the most marked distinction in this respect between sír-land and raiyatí lands, and, while in the latter I think the tenant should have every possible security and every encouragement to improve, I see no ground for giving him similar security in land which is distinctly the personal property of the landlord. I see no objection to the present section in cases where the landlord may find it convenient to give a tenant a lease of (say) three or more years, but, in regard to sír-land generally, I would vote for Mr. Barkley's amendment."

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—"I should just like to ask one question as to the effect of this clause. The hon'ble member moves an amendment to section 29, but moves no amendment to section 30; and I am not quite clear whether, supposing an ordinary tenant of sír-land were to make an improvement with the consent of his landlord, there would be any provision in the Bill which would secure him legal compensation for the improvement so made."

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT said that an improvement so made would not be made "in accordance with this Act," and therefore would not entitle the tenant to compensation under section 30. His inclination was to agree with the recommendation of the Hon'ble Mr. Quinton that the Bill be left as it stood;

but, as it was an arguable point, he was quite content to adopt the view of the majority of the Council. His hon'ble friend Mr. Barkley was not quite accurate in saying that improvements in sír-land were excluded from the operation of the Bill. Sub-section (4) of section 30 merely said that the presumption as to improvements having been made with the landlord's consent should not apply to improvements made on sír-land.

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said :—" I agree with the Hon'ble Sir Steuart Bayley in thinking that it is very desirable to maintain the distinction between sír-land and raiyatwárí land. The amendments introduced by the Hon'ble Mr. Ilbert all tended in that direction. I should, therefore, be personally prepared to accept Mr. Barkley's amendment of section 29, provided that it is made clear that, if the tenant of the sír-land makes an improvement at his own expense with the consent of his landlord, he shall have a legal right to compensation. I am quite ready, in regard to sír-land, to make the consent of the landlord a *sine quâ non* ; but I am not prepared to admit that, that consent having been obtained, the tenant shall be entitled to no compensation for improvements made at his own expense. That appears to me to be a highly unjust proceeding and one which ought to be guarded against by the law ; but, if that can be done, I shall be prepared to accept Mr. Barkley's amendment."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that in section 30, sub-section (*1*), for the words " which have been made in accordance with this Act by him or by the persons under whom he claims," the following shall be substituted, namely :— " which he or the persons under whom he claims may have made in accordance with this Act or with the landlord's consent otherwise than in accordance with this Act."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. BARKLEY moved that to section 43, sub-section (*1*), the words " or unless the holding has been inherited from an ancestor common to him and the deceased tenant " be added. He said :—

" As Mr. Jones' Draft Bill is not with the papers circulated, and the subject is not referred to in his note and commentary, I have been unable to ascertain whether the exclusion of collaterals from succession to occupancy-tenants was proposed by him. They are excluded by section 81 of Bill No. I, but, under the previous law, section 6 of Act X of 1859, there was no bar to the succession of collaterals. When Bill No. I was circulated for opinions, Colonel Lucie Smith, the Commissioner of Chhattísgarh, stated that the proviso excluding collateral relatives 'is opposed to the custom of the country,' and considered that it should be omitted (Paper No. 11, page 47). Afterwards the Nágpur landholders, on the Bill as revised by the Pachmarhi Committee being communicated to them, remarked on section 14 in a letter to Mr. J. W. Neill, Officiating Judicial Commissioner : - 'We allow collateral succession at present, and we will not object if the scope of the section be enlarged so as to allow of such succession in future.' It appears, therefore, that they did not desire a change of the existing law on this point. After Bill No. II was published, the tenants of the Harda tahsíl of the Hoshangábád district objected to section 35 as excluding the succession of collaterals, and referred to section 6 of Act X of 1859 as permitting it (Paper No. 15). On the other hand, the landlords of the Hoshangábád and Narsinghpur districts, in Paper No. 14, approved of the Bill on this point, and the opinion submitted by them was afterwards adopted by the landlords of certain villages of the Nágpur division in Paper No. 16. In none of the remaining papers does the subject appear to be noticed.

" It is true that the law has been changed in the North-Western Provinces by section 9 of Act XVIII of 1873 (re-enacted in Act XII of 1881), but I do not think that this is a reason for making a change unfavourable to the occupancy-tenants in the Central Provinces. I can understand that there may be reasons for excluding remote collaterals, whose ancestors never held the land, from succession to occupancy-tenants, but such reasons would not be applicable to the claim of one brother to succeed another in land in which their father had acquired occupancy-rights. The Bill allows such succession in case the brothers

held the land as co-sharers; but, if the land was not enough for both, and one gave up his share to the other and sought for other means of support, or if the holding had been divided between them, as it might be, with the landlord's consent, the right to succeed would be lost. Suppose that, on the death of a father who held land as an occupancy-tenant, there are three sons entitled to inherit, but the land is not more than enough for two. One may enlist in the army or leave the village to look for employment elsewhere, while the other two succeed their father. One of the latter dies, leaving no heirs but his brothers. If the holding has not been divided, the brother who has remained at home will succeed, but the brother who gave up his share will be excluded Even if both the brothers who succeeded to the holding die and the absent brother is their sole heir, he will not be allowed to return and take up the family holding. A law which would lead to such results as this is not likely to commend itself to Native public opinion, and, when it came to be understood, there would be a strong temptation to all heirs to cling to their ancestral holding, even though it were manifestly inadequate to support them. If any one were to leave, some arrangement would be come to by which he might appear to continue a co-sharer with those who remained.

"In order to remedy this, I propose, as in the Panjáb Tenancy Act, to allow collaterals in the line of descent from the person who acquired the holding to succeed in the absence of lineal heirs."

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON said:—"As explained by my hon'ble friend, the Bill, following the precedent set by the North-Western Provinces Rent Act, limits the succession of collateral relatives to the occupancy-rights of a deceased tenant to such collaterals as were co-sharers in the holding at the death of the tenant. The amendment proposes to extend this limitation so as to bring within it all collaterals of the deceased, provided that the holding was inherited by them from an ancestor common to him and them.

"The objections to this course are, in my mind, great. It will introduce all the intricacies of Hindu law into the determination of questions respecting the ownership of occupancy-rights, which it has hitherto been the policy of the legislature to exclude. It will undoubtedly foster litigation and promote disputes among conflicting claimants, and, most important of all, will encourage subletting by absentee occupancy-tenants who have inherited rights under the provisions of the amendment."

The Hon'ble SIR STEUART BAYLEY said:—"My Lord, the question here raised is whether in the Central Provinces we should make the custom follow that of the Panjáb, or keep it, as in the Bill, in accordance with the law prevailing in the North-Western Provinces. The Bill as drawn follows the North-Western Provinces law, and, considering the very complete sifting which the Bill has had at the hands of experienced local officers, I would *a priori* accept their view. But, moreover, I think the Panjáb rule, however reasonable in a system founded on the supposition that the cultivators are themselves the proprietary body, is hardly adapted to a system where a single landlord is responsible for the land-revenue of his estate. The landlord must, in case of land being vacated by death, find another tenant. Where a son is on the spot, he succeeds by law—where a near relative is available, he would generally succeed by custom; but it seems to me most inequitable that the landlord, or the tenant who in the absence of other applicants he may have put in on the land, should be at the mercy of any one of a hundred collaterals who may have entirely separated himself from the land, and may turn up and claim the tenure any time within 12 years. The landlord can know nothing about these, and he would probably not only lose the tenant of his choice, but have to compensate him for being turned out. There is a still more serious objection on general principles in the tendency to *morcellement* and to consequent litigation, which would be involved by giving all collaterals the right to participate in every holding left vacant. Nor do I see how Mr. Barkley can reconcile his amendment with the principles laid down in section 33 of the Bill regarding relinquishment. By section 33 (*b*) a tenant is presumed to relinquish his holding by ceasing to reside. By section 34 a tenant is presumed to relinquish his holding by leaving the land uncultivated and the rent unpaid for two years even when he resides

in the village. The collateral in the case supposed by Mr. Barkley has altogether ceased to reside in the village, and, instead of the limitation given in section 34, he would apparently, if the amendment be allowed to stand, be able to claim the inheritance—at least I suppose this would be the effect—under the ordinary law of limitation.

"I presume also the amendment would have to be applied to section 61, also regarding ordinary tenants. To sum up, I would oppose the amendment because it is contrary to the opinion of the best local officers, because it is opposed to public policy by its tendency to burthen the land with more mouths than it can support, because it introduces all the complexities of Hindu law into the land-system and tends to foster litigation, because it is inequitable and oppressive to the landlord and his *bonâ fide* tenant, because it is contrary to the principles which regulate relinquishment under the Bill."

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also opposed the amendment.

Mr. BARKLEY stated in reply that, under Act X of 1859, collaterals had enjoyed the right of succession to occupancy-tenants in the Central Provinces, in default of lineal heirs, for the last 19 years; that there was no relinquishment of the holding in the lifetime of the deceased tenant, succession to whom was in question; and, if the heir did not come in within two years, there was no reason why section 34 should not apply; and that he had not considered it necessary to propose any amendment to section 61, which related to a different class of tenants.

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—"The question is one not altogether free from difficulty, but the weight of legal opinion appears to me to be so decidedly in favour of the Bill and opposed to the amendment, that I shall vote against it."

The Motion was put and negatived.

The Hon'ble MR. BARKLEY also moved that in section 58, sub-section (2), clause (*b*), for the words "equal to," the words "not less than three times and not exceeding" be substituted. He said:—

"My Lord, the provisions of this chapter give a great degree of protection to ordinary tenants. Their tenures are made heritable, and, if their rent is enhanced under the provisions of this chapter, it cannot be again raised under these provisions until seven years have elapsed. The only check upon the amount of enhancement, however, is that provided by this section combined with sections 55 and 57, that, in case the tenant does not agree to pay the enhanced rent demanded, the landlord can only proceed by suing to eject him; and, if ejectment is decreed, the landlord must pay into court any sum declared to be due as compensation for improvements, and further, as compensation for disturbance, seven times the yearly increase of rent demanded. Though it may be doubted whether this sufficiently provides for the case of an improving tenant, who does not wish to give up his land, and who, rather than do so may be compelled to pay an enhanced rent due to his own improvements, it cannot be denied that it affords a very efficient protection to the ordinary tenant in all other cases. The exceptional case is that of the sitting tenant, which is at present being discussed in England by men like Professor Bonamy Price and Sir James Caird. I was at first, I confess, doubtful as to the principle of giving heritable rights to ordinary tenants, which was not proposed either in Bill No. I or in the Pachmarhi Committee's draft Bill. But, on examining the opinions given on Bill No. I, I found that Colonel Lucie Smith, Commissioner of Chhattísgarh, urged (Paper No. 11, page 43) that all tenants in Chhattísgarh are entitled to hold their land, being other than sír, so long as they pay a reasonable rent, and quoted depositions of málguzárs in a case in the neighbourhood of Raipur in support of this (page 42). In a subsequent communication, dated 20th December, 1880, he stated that there was 'hardly a man among the malguzárs who would come forward openly and assert that he has the right to eject a raiyat who is willing to pay a reasonable rent;' and he quoted a minute by Sir George Campbell, in support of an argument he had previously urged, that a custom which prevailed there, of the raiyats redistributing the

lands amongst themselves, was an indication of proprietary right, though at settlement the managers of the villages had, by mistake, been recognised as proprietors. Again, while the Pachmarhi Committee's Bill had provided in section 23 that ordinary tenancies should lapse on the death of the holder, a pleader, Mr. Bipin Krishna Bose, who had previously acted for the Nágpur landlords, suggested to the Judicial Commissioner that heirs who had been members of a joint family with the cultivating tenant should be allowed to succeed on his death. Bill No. III made the rights of ordinary tenants heritable, and in the Report of the Select Committee it was stated that it was believed that the amendment would be in consonance with the general feeling of the people. Opinions have since been received from landlords of the Nágpur Division, and of the Hoshangábád, Narsinghpur, Betul and Raipur Districts; and in none of these has this amendment been objected to, though other provisions of the Bill have been warmly canvassed. The Raipur landlords indeed admitted that, before the introduction of Act X into the Chhattísgarh Division, ejectments of tenants were unheard of, and that tenants should not be ejected so long as they pay fair rents. As the Bill puts a stop to the growth of occupancy-rights by 12 years' possession, the heritable right conceded to ordinary tenants of other than sír-land may be regarded as a compensating advantage; and, as the concession has not been objected to from any quarter, and in some parts of the country, at least, the right of such tenants not to be ejected so long as they paid reasonable rents was recognized, I see no reason to call in question its propriety. It would, however, be valueless unless there were some means of protecting the tenant from unreasonable enhancement of rent, and the provisions of section 58 furnish a convenient means of preventing this in most cases; and, though the principle of compensation for disturbance is objected to in some of the papers received (Nos. 25 and 28), the landlords of the Nágpur Division have accepted it (Paper No. 25), only urging that seven times the yearly increase is too much, and that five times would be a fair compensation.

"I think the Bill errs in laying down an unduly rigid rule on this point. There may be cases in which seven times the yearly increase demanded would not be excessive. There are tenants who, if the passing of this Bill were delayed, would acquire occupancy-rights under Act X of 1859 within a year, and, when the growth of such rights under that Act is stopped, there will be cases of ordinary tenants whose families have held the land for two or three generations. Such tenants would usually pay any rent the land could properly yield rather than give it up, and, if an excessive rent were demanded to compel them to quit their holdings, it would not be unfair to allow seven times the increase demanded, especially if the tenants were already paying as much, or nearly as much, as they ought to be asked to pay. But in other cases, the tenant may have held the land only for a year or two, without paying any premium on entering, and perhaps at a low rate of rent. In others, again, the land may have been let on favourable terms for a period of years in order to get it brought under cultivation. In the one class of cases, the claims of the tenant to compensation for disturbance would be but small; in the other, seven times the increase demanded, even though that increase was not unreasonable in amount, might be an excessive sum. If, for instance, the tenant held at half the normal rate of rent, and the landlord proposed to demand the normal rate, the tenant, if he chose to give up his holding, would get 3½ years' rental, in addition to any compensation for improvements which might be due him.

"I therefore propose that the Court which passes the decree should be allowed to fix the compensation, with regard to the circumstances of each particular case, at from three to seven times the increase demanded. The compensation thus could not be merely nominal unless the increase of rent demanded was nominal, while it might be large in cases in which the tenant was entitled to special consideration. It would rest with the Court to adjust it according to circumstances, and this, I think, would be a more satisfactory arrangement than to give a fixed number of times the increase demanded. It might also facilitate arrangements out of Court, where the landlord's object was to resume his land, which he can only do by agreement with his tenant. He might say to his tenant: 'You have held my land for four or five years; you

have made no improvements; it is now convenient to me to take it into my own hands, but I can only do so by asking an increase of rent which you will not give. I therefore propose to add one-half to the rent, and offer you three times the yearly increase.' The tenant might say: 'I am not prepared to pay the increased rent, but the Court may give me more than you offer. I am ready to give up the land for five times the yearly increase.' If the landlord agrees, the tenant would get 2½ years' rental, and if the landlord and tenant agree to four times the increase, the tenant would get two years' rental, to surrender land he had held only a few years.

"The principle of compensation for disturbance is entirely new to Indian law, and it may therefore not be out of place to remind the Council that the Irish Tenancy Act, in which this principle was first recognized, allows a discretion to the Court to give compensation for disturbance not exceeding so many years' rental, the maximum varying according to the size of the holding, while no minimum is prescribed."

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON said:—"This is one of the means of protection for ordinary tenants devised by the framers of the Bill in lieu of the growth by prescription of rights of occupancy, and of which they as a class have been deprived, and it is intended to operate as a check upon rack-renting. Seven times the yearly *increase* of rent demanded seems no immoderate compensation to award to a tenant who may be driven out of hearth and home with no resource before him but starvation; and, as the Select Committee have after mature deliberation accepted this amount as the minimum likely to prove effective for the object in view, I see no cause for giving the Courts any discretion in the matter. It is difficult to see on what principles such discretion could be exercised; so that we should have to expect widely different judgments from different judges, and, as a consequence, fertile crops of litigation and discontent. This is pre-eminently one of the cases in which a hard and fast line is advisable. The minimum suggested in the amendment, namely, three times the increase demanded, would leave it in the power of any judge to defeat the avowed intention of the legislature."

The Hon'ble SIR STEUART BAYLEY said:—"My Lord, this amendment also, I fear, I must oppose. It introduces an element of elasticity no doubt, which is in itself desirable, but it also introduces a far greater element of uncertainty which would be most prejudicial. Doubtless the limit of seven times the amount of enhancement is arbitrary; but it was come to after very full consideration, and was discussed at two separate meetings of the Select Committee. The original Proposal was ten times. This was considered too much in a temporarily-settled province, where the landlord was liable to have his revenue enhanced at the next settlement, as the enhanced rent which *en hypothesi* he would receive from the incoming tenant might not pay him a fair interest on the compensation he would have to pay the outgoing tenant. After several proposals the amount was reduced to seven. My great objection to Mr. Barkley's proposed amendment is that, under the discretionary rule, not only would the landlord never know exactly what risk he ran in ousting a tenant for refusal to pay an enhanced rent, but, worse than that, the tenant would never know whether it was better worth his while to pay or to refuse. Each case would be a speculation in litigation. The Courts would have no practical guide. Another objection is that the system itself is experimental and may possibly not work well; but, under the Bill as it stands, it would at least work consistently, and its action could be watched. If it broke down, the Government would know why, and would be able either to withdraw it or to strengthen its weak points. Under the proposed amendment, one could never judge fairly of the experiment, because its working would differ with the personal equation of each Revenue-officer. It is certainly better, in introducing an important experiment of this kind, about which, as Mr. Ilbert has shown, there is room for various opinions, that the conditions of its introduction should be fixed and known, and that they should not vary with the varying idiosyncracies of every officer."

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—"I cannot accept this amendment. The question, as my friend Sir Steuart Bayley has said, has been extremely

carefully considered by the Select Committee and the Government. The original proposal was to fix the rate at ten times the increase, but, in consequence of representations received from the Central Provinces, that figure was reduced to seven times the increase of rent—a very small amount to be demanded for compensation for disturbance, and very greatly less than that demanded under the Irish Land Act. This is making the experiment on a small scale. It appears to me to be sufficient for the circumstances of the Central Provinces, where population is thin and where farms are rather seeking for tenants than tenants for farms. It seems to me to be the least that could be proposed, and, therefore, I cannot accept the amendment proposed by my hon'ble friend."

The Motion was put and negatived.

The Hon'ble MR. BARKLEY also moved that for section 62 the following section be substituted, namely :—

"62. The landlord of any holding held by an ordinary tenant may confer upon him the rights of an occupancy-tenant in respect of the holding; and the landlord of any holding held by an occupancy-tenant or an ordinary tenant may confer upon him the rights of an absolute occupancy-tenant in respect of the holding; and a person upon whom such rights are so conferred shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be an occupancy-tenant, or an absolute occupancy-tenant, as the case may be."

He said :—

"This, my Lord, is the most important of the amendments of which I have given notice, and the section to which it relates is the only one in regard to which I find myself absolutely at issue with the principles adopted in the Bill. My objections to that section are so strong that, if it is allowed to stand, I shall, though with regret, feel it my duty to vote against the passing of the Bill.

"This section, like that giving heritable rights to ordinary tenants, was first introduced in Bill No. III, nothing similar having appeared either in the original Bill or in the revised draft prepared by the Pachmarhi Committee. It cannot be said to have been suggested by any of the opinions received from the Central Provinces, and the only opinions given after Bill No. III was published, except that of the Chief Commissioner himself (Paper No. 20), are strongly opposed to it. Unfortunately, these are the opinions only of landlords, the late Chief Commissioner not having thought it necessary to consult any of the local officers as to the changes made by Bill No. III. But the landlords of the Nágpur Division (Paper No. 23) denounced the section as a departure from what they called the Pachmarhi compromise, that is, the Pachmarhi Committee's draft Bill, which they had expressed themselves willing to accept, and as an encroachment on their rights, and urged that the compensation proposed to be given to the landlord is wholly inadequate. The opinion of the landlords of the Hoshangábád, Narsinghpur and Betul Districts (Paper No. 25) was similar, except that they did not refer to the Pachmarhi Bill. The landlords of Raipur (Paper No. 28) objected to the section that it arbitrarily interferes with voluntary contracts and nullifies the provisions contained in section 41, clause (*c*), and urged that, if a tenant desired occupancy-rights, he should pay at least six times the rental. The Chief Commissioner forwarded a copy of this petition without comment (Paper No. 29), remarking that it accepted the principles of the Bill, but stated certain objections to some details, which it was unnecessary for him to discuss. It is, I think, to be regretted that he did not discuss the objections taken to section 62. All that the Select Committee say in support of this section, the provisions of which do not appear to have been suggested by any local authority, and have been so strongly objected to by the landlords, is that—

'The growth of occupancy-rights by lapse of time having been stayed, we think, with the Famine Commissioners, that some means should be provided by which a thrifty, industrious tenant can raise his status. The provision we have introduced can in no way injure the málguzár, while it holds out a prospect to the tenant which will induce him to retain and improve his holding. We have little expectation that tenants will avail themselves of this privilege for a long time to come, except in a few cases.'

"The landlords, I observe, contend that it is likely to be very largely taken advantage of when the power becomes known, but it is of course possible that they are mistaken as to this. It may be that few tenants will be willing or able to give 2½ years' rental for the advantages enjoyed by an occupancy-tenant over an ordinary tenant protected by Chapter VI. But, if so, the benefit to the tenants will not be very great.

"I do not know how far the Famine Commissioners are responsible for suggesting a section of this nature, but, assuming that the suggestion is theirs, I do not think that their authority is so conclusive that we should refrain from discussing the merits of the proposal.

"My own objections to it, being objections of principle, can be stated very briefly. They may be summed up in the four following propositions: 1st, that to give the tenant power to compel the landlord to sell a portion of his rights is an encroachment on the rights of the landlord; 2nd, that, while rights of property may be interfered with by the legislature when public interests require this, and on reasonable compensation being made to the persons whose rights are interfered with, all unnecessary interference with such rights should be avoided; 3rd, that, in the present case, there is no evidence that public interests render it necessary that tenants should be empowered to compel their landlords to sell them occupancy-rights; 4th, that, even assuming such necessity to be established, there is no evidence that 2½ years' normal rental would compensate the landlord for the alteration in the status of his tenant.

"As regards the first proposition, I do not see how it is possible to deny the encroachment upon the landlord's rights. The section does not protect any existing right of the tenant, but gives him a power to acquire new rights without the landlord's consent. The principle is precisely the same as if it were proposed to empower the tenant to buy absolute occupancy-rights at five years' normal rental, or proprietary rights at eight years' normal rental. Whether these sums represent the value of the interests sold or not, the landlord has a right not to be compelled to part with those interests, unless, for sufficient cause, the legislature deprives him of this right.

"The second proposition is scarcely likely to be disputed in this Council, as it is difficult to see how it can be disputed by any one who does not disapprove of private property being recognized at all.

"The third proposition raises a question of evidence, and I think I am entitled to ask for the evidence of necessity. It tells against the existence of any necessity that the local authorities have not asked for the grant of such a power to ordinary tenants, and were originally content to give them much less protection than is given by the other provisions of this chapter. Mr. Grant, in introducing Bill No. 1, urged the necessity of shunning heroic remedies, and, if it has since been found advisable to prescribe such remedies, a clear case of necessity for doing so should certainly be made out.

"The fourth proposition also raises a question of evidence. The Select Committee say that the provision they have introduced can in no way injure the málguzár, but I have been unable to discover the proof that the difference between occupancy-rights and the position of an ordinary tenant is not worth more than 2½ years' rental in many instances. The only test of its value would be to ascertain what the tenant would pay and the landlord would accept in consideration of the superior status being conferred; but, unless free contract is allowed, this test cannot be applied. The difference may be worth five years' rental, or it may be worth only one. It may be worth five years' rental in one case, and only one year's rental in another. In the latter case, the section will have no operation; in the former, the landlord will be compelled to sell his property for half its value. How can it be said that in such a case he will be in no way injured? In short, except in the cases where the right to be purchased is exactly worth two and a half times the rental, the section must either be inoperative or the landlord must part with his property for less than its value.

"If it were shewn to be necessary on public grounds to give this power to tenants, then, instead of fixing an arbitrary value, some machinery should be

devised for determining the value in each instance, when the parties did not themselves agree as to the sum to be paid. I consider the absence of any such machinery, and the absence of proof of necessity for conferring such a power, insuperable objections to the section as framed.

"But I think that in many cases landlords who find it necessary to raise money would have no objection to sell occupancy-rights to their tenants, if no compulsion existed. They would thus, instead of losing their land altogether by sale, or losing control over it for a time by mortgage, retain a substantial interest in it, though one of smaller value than that they previously possessed. And the proper sum to be paid would be ascertained by agreement between landlord and tenant, both parties being in a better position than almost any one else to judge of the value of the interest sold. If the compulsory power is retained, the landlord would feel its existence a grievance, even if the tenant did not exercise it; but, in the absence of such a power, there would be no reason why he should not be willing to give a thrifty, industrious tenant a superior status, when this could be done without injury to himself. This would to some extent meet the views of the Famine Commission; and, as the Bill does not provide for the purchase of occupancy-rights otherwise than by section 62, I have proposed a new section to take the place of section 62 which will give effect to such transactions. The second proviso to section 80 of Bill No. 11 contained a provision of this nature, suggested by the Pachmarhi Committee's Bill."

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON said:—"My Lord, this amendment, like the preceding, strikes at the root of one of the essential provisions of the Bill. For reasons which appeared to them of great force in the Central Provinces, and which I for one am not prepared to dispute, the Select Committee have omitted from this Bill all provisions enabling ordinary tenants to acquire rights of occupancy by prescription in the lands held by them, but they had no wish to leave the cultivators of the soil at the mercy of the landlords and without hope of raising their condition.

"To guard them against rack-renting and capricious eviction, measures will be found in the Bill which it is to be hoped will prove efficacious for that purpose, and to enable the thrifty and industrious tenant to better himself the section now under discussion has been drafted. The twelve-years' rule, coupled with an unrestricted power of eviction, in effect left it with the landlord to determine whether rights of occupancy should or should not be acquired by tenants. A vigilant landlord always had the means of preventing the accrual of such rights by the simple expedient of turning the tenant out of his holding. The result has been that these prescriptive rights have been attained at the cost of much ill-feeling, and that each party is on the watch to take advantage of any omission, mistake or misfortune on the part of the other.

"It is not to be supposed that these consequences were within the intention of the framers of Act X of 1859, and, to avoid them and bestow a substantial instead of an illusory benefit upon the tenant, the present section makes it obligatory on the landlord to confer occupancy-rights on an ordinary tenant on tender of a sum equal to 2½ times the rent paid, or equitably payable according to the decision of the settlement-officer for the holding.

"The amendment of my hon'ble friend reverses all this, and throws things back into their old state, by making the consent of the landlord a condition precedent to the acquisition of such rights, and leaving the terms of the bargain to be adjusted by mutual agreement. He must be a man of sanguine temperament who expects that such provisions would ever have any operation.

"The measure embodied in the section is in accordance with the recommendation of the Famine Commission, and the only objection which I have hitherto heard urged against it is that, from poverty or other reasons, tenants may fail to take full advantage of it."

The Hon'ble SIR STEUART BAYLEY said:—"My Lord, this amendment I cannot support. Mr. Barkley's proposal would practically abolish the principle of section 62. The section was introduced as a counterpoise to the abolition of the twelve-years' rule. It was felt that ordinary tenants would want some protection, and compensation for disturbance was provided. It is impossible to say how

this principle will work, as, though we augur well of it, it is admittedly experimental. If it fails, the ordinary tenant would be, to a great extent, unprotected, and his position under the landlord's power to rackrent would probably deteriorate. Moreover, as time goes on, since occupancy-rights can no longer be acquired by the prescriptive title of twelve years' holding, it is quite certain that the tendency will be for the class of occupancy-tenants to decrease, and for that of unprotected tenants to increase; and it seemed absolutely necessary, as a counterpoise to this tendency, to give ordinary tenants some means of protecting themselves by the acquisition of occupancy-rights. The particular rate of 2½ years' purchase may be open to objection. I can only say it was adopted after careful consideration by those most competent to advise the Committee, but I cannot approve of the Bill being shorn of the principle altogether. If I may take an illustration from another province, I would refer to the use that the raiyats in Eastern Bengal made of the increased receipts coming to them from jute-cultivation. They found themselves, as we fear the Central Provinces tenants may find themselves, insufficiently protected from arbitrary enhancement, and, as soon as they acquired the means, a movement set in, under which numbers of these raiyats, by payment of a large premium, got from their landlords a permanent lease of their lands. The permanently-settled Bengal Government is unaffected by this movement. In a temporarily-settled province, no doubt, the position, so far as the Government revenue is concerned, is different. But we wish a similar principle to apply, and we wish to facilitate it, by giving the raiyat the right to protect himself by acquiring occupancy-rights at a rate ordinarily settled by law, but in special cases after the rents have been adjusted through the Courts, so that the landlord shall not suffer. I should be unwilling to part with this principle, and must oppose the amendment."

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—"I most strongly object to the substitution proposed by my hon'ble friend. When he speaks of section 62 as an encroachment on the rights of landlords, it is necessary that we should consider what are the rights of landlords at the present moment in the Central Provinces. We are not talking of the abstract rights of landlords. That subject is a very large one. What we have to deal with are the rights of landlords in the Central Provinces now, and those rights are subject to the provision of Act X of 1859, which confers on the tenant the power of obtaining occupancy-rights if he occupies the same land for a period of twelve years; therefore, the rights of landlords in the Central Provinces at present are limited by the rights of tenants to acquire, by a certain process, an occupancy-right in their lands. The framers of the Bill in its present shape were led to believe that it would be desirable to put an end to the existing mode of obtaining occupancy-rights by the tenants, in consequence of the serious objections which may be urged against any system under which a tenant acquires occupancy-rights by a mere lapse of time. It seemed, therefore, desirable that to get rid of that system in the Central Provinces before it had produced there those evils and those difficulties in the relations of landlord and tenant which have been found to spring from it in other parts of India. The question, then, the Committtee had to consider was, what substitute they should give to tenants for this power of obtaining rights of occupancy by the lapse of time. My hon'ble friend Mr. Barkley says that Bill No. I as introduced by Mr. Grant did not contain this proposal. Doubtless not, but it did not propose to abolish the twelve-years' rule. Bill No. I retained the twelve-years' rule, and gave tenants that mode of acquiring rights which the present Bill seeks to supersede. It appears to me that one of the great advantages of the present proposal over the twelve-years' rule is that, whereas, practically speaking, the twelve-years' rule gives occupancy-rights to tenants by accident, this proposal, on the contrary, gives the power of obtaining such rights to thrift and to frugality. Under the twelve-years' rule, it depends on an accident whether a landlord gives a tenant notice to quit before the expiration of twelve years, and thus takes the measures necessary to prevent the accrual of the right; on the other hand, it is the thrifty tenants who will under the new proposal be able to purchase an occupancy-right. The right will depend not upon accident, not upon whether the landlord will allow the tenant to remain in possession for twelve years, but upon whether by frugality he is able to lay by sufficient to enable him to purchase an

occupancy-right in the manner proposed by section 62. Now, my hon'ble friend Mr. Barkley says there is not much evidence to show that this proposal has been accepted by those best acquainted with the Central Provinces. I may say that, in the first place, it has been accepted by Sir J. H. Morris, than whom no one is better acquainted with the circumstances and requirements of those Provinces. It has also been most carefully and closely considered by my hon'ble friend Mr. Crosthwaite, who had charge of the Bill originally. I have discussed it with him several times, and it is most unfortunate that we have not his presence here to-day. I felt bound to call him to higher functions during the absence of Mr. Bernard, but, had he been present here, he would have given us the weight of his great experience in the Central Provinces to meet the objections taken by Mr. Barkley. I must also point out that, if we were to adopt the amendment proposed by Mr. Barkley in this matter, we should actually put the raiyats in the Central Provinces in a worse position than they are now in. We should have abolished their power of acquiring the right of occupancy under the twelve-years' rule, and substituted for it nothing but a legal power to the landlord to sell them this right if he chose to do so. It is quite impossible that the Council can accept a proposal of that kind. For a considerable time this clause may be made little use of, but it will enable those tenants who have laid by a small amount of capital to acquire the greater security which occupancy-rights afford, and without it the result of the Bill would be to shut the door to all hope of raiyats ever acquiring that security at all.

"Under these circumstances, I cannot give my vote in favour of the amendment proposed by my hon'ble friend Mr. Barkley."

The Motion was put and negatived.

The Hon'ble MR. BARKLEY also moved that in section 71, clause (*a*), for the words "one hundred," the word "twenty" be substituted. He said :—

"This amendment raises no question of principle, but merely one of expediency. A similar provision is to be found in the Rent Act in force in the North-Western Provinces, but I think it necessary to point out that, in cases where rent is paid in the form of a share in the produce or of the estimated value of such a share, suits for arrears of rent usually involve questions of much difficulty, such as the actual amount of the yield, the value of the landlord's share, and the reason why that share was not taken when the crop was reaped,—the tenant perhaps alleging that the landlord would not accept it, because the yield was so small that he hoped to get more by suing, while the landlord asserts that the tenant removed the whole crop before any division of the produce could be made. The decisions of Assistant Commissioners of the first class in the simplest cases are at present subject to appeal, and neither landlords nor tenants appear to have such confidence in the courts of these officers as to make them willing to be deprived of the power of appeal in cases relating to arrears of rent. The tenants in the Harda tahsíl ask that appeals may be allowed or that the limit of exclusion may be reduced to Rs. 10 (Paper No. 15), and the landlords of Raipur are willing that there should be no appeal from the Deputy Commissioner's decision in cases of this nature,—which that officer is not likely often to try,—but ask for an appeal from the decision of the Assistant Commissioner (Paper No. 28). I have taken Rs. 20 as the limit, as, in claims under that amount, it can rarely be worth the while of either party to appeal, where no question of title or interest in land is involved. But I think we should avoid doing anything which would give colour to the supposition that we regard the right decision of cases where the amount of rent payable is in question as of less importance than the right decision of cases relating to small debts."

The Hon'ble SIR STEUART BAYLEY said :—"My Lord, I cannot concur in this. Against the limitation which prevails in the Panjáb, the Bill has adopted that which has been found to work well in Bengal under section 153 of Act X of 1859 and section 102 of the present Act, in the North-Western Provinces under section 80 of Act XII of 1881, and in Oudh under section 95 of the Oudh Tenancy Act. Assuredly, the tendency of recent

legislation has not been to increase the facilities for appealing. I should prefer, therefore, to maintain the limit of 100 rupees."

The Motion was put and negatived.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON said:—"My Lord, I cannot refuse to support this Bill, which is the result of long and careful deliberation on the part of this Council and of the local authorities, and which offers a hopeful prospect of placing on a satisfactory footing for some time to come the relations between landlords and tenants in the Central Provinces. I am, however, reluctant to give a silent vote in favour of it, lest my acceptance of the measure should lead to the conclusion that I consider it a precedent to be invariably followed in other cases for which we may hereafter have to legislate.

"The speech of my hon'ble and learned friend Mr. Ilbert has shown very clearly why the Bill now before us differs so materially from that which the Government of India, with the consent of Her Majesty's Government at home, have thought fit to propose for the Lower Provinces of Bengal; and I would, even at the risk of some repetition, call the attention of the Council to a few circumstances in which the Central Provinces differ from that part of Upper India of which I have most personal knowledge, namely, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, with the object of deprecating the inference that, in any future legislation for the latter, this Bill should, of necessity, be taken as a guide. Numerous provisions of the Bill are of a novel character; several of them, such as the stoppage of the growth of occupancy-rights by prescription, the modes of enhancing the rents of occupancy-tenants and the different methods adopted for the protection of tenants without rights of occupancy from rack-renting and capricious eviction, are of a most important nature, and have been determined on with the advice of those best able to judge of the local peculiarities of the Central Provinces; but it by no means follows that such provisions would be found adequate or could be successfully applied under conditions essentially different.

"In the Central Provinces, culturable waste land is abundant, and is available in the shape most favourable to a wide extension of cultivation; that is, in large blocks for the use of new settlers. There is no district or part of a district in which there is an early prospect of the limits of cultivation being reached. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, on the other hand, there is left but a small margin of land easily culturable, much of that which is so recorded being portions of villages impregnated with salts pernicious to vegetation, and incapable of being rendered culturable by any experiment that is likely to prove remunerative.

"In the Central Provinces, there is a sparse population, the density of which is about one-fourth of that of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, where, especially in the Eastern districts, the pressure of population on the culturable area is becoming extreme.

"In the former favoured regions, Act X of 1859 was introduced at a later period, and landlords have not been driven, and have not generally attempted, to work that enactment to the prejudice of the tenants; but in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the acquisition of occupancy-rights under the twelve-years' rule has been recognised since before the mutiny, and, together with its correlative right of barring such acquisition by ejecting the tenant before the expiration of the prescribed period, received legal confirmation in 1859 by Act X of that year. These mutual rights of landlord and tenant are universally known and widely exercised, while the powers of enhancement conferred on the landlord, which have remained in the Central Provinces almost a dead-letter, have been very generally enforced, in many cases to the uttermost farthing.

"In fact, in the one case, abundance of waste land and a sparse population effectually protected the tenants from rack-renting and capricious eviction; in the other, a denser population, which has almost reached the utmost limits of cultivation, tended to compel both parties to insist on every jot and tittle of their legal rights. I think, therefore, I am justified in asserting that there are essential

differences in the economic conditions and mutual relations of the agricultural classes in the two Provinces.

"The discussion of the relative rights of landlords and tenants, and the due adjustment of these with reference to the good of the whole community, are not now subjects confined to a single province or even to British India. They have long been burning questions in Ireland, and the settlement of them has taxed to the utmost the wisdom of Parliament. They are coming rapidly to the front in England and Scotland, and indications are not wanting that even in the United States of America we are within measurable distance of a time when the operation of the land laws there in force will be subjected to rude criticism, and possibly to revision. In India, a tenancy Bill for Bengal is pending before this Council, proposals have been made and enquiries instituted having in view the amendment of the Rent Laws of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and of the Panjáb, and even in British Burma the subject is attracting attention. It is impossible to suppose that in all these countries the same remedies will be found equally applicable. There can be no doubt that widely different modes of treatment must be adopted in different cases, and that each case must be dealt with on its own merits.

"Without, therefore, expressing any opinion as to the lines on which legislation for landlords and tenants in other provinces should proceed, which would be for me alike improper and inexpedient, I would on this occasion merely insist on the fact that the existence of differences such as I have attempted to describe, between the North-Western Provinces and Oudh on the one hand and Central Provinces on the other, is sufficient to refute the reasoning that, by passing the Bill now under discussion, we tie our hands from legislating in the future for the North-Western Provinces and Oudh in any direction that, after due deliberation, may appear most suitable."

The Hon'ble MR. HUNTER said:—"My Lord, I desire to say a few words in regard to the third class of tenants dealt with by this Bill. The two superior classes possessing occupancy-rights have, since the Provinces passed under British rule, enjoyed the fostering care of the Government. Their status is founded on ancient custom, it has been confirmed by the settlement-records, and it will henceforth rest on the firm legislative basis provided by this Act. The position of the third class of cultivators, the tenants-at-will, is very different. They have no prescriptive privileges to plead, nor any settlement-papers to appeal to, and their whole future depends on the legal status now accorded to them. And not their future alone, but also in an important, although in a less direct, manner, the future of the corresponding class of cultivators in the crowded districts of the North-Western Provinces and Bengal. For the population in some of those districts now presses so heavily on the land, that large numbers must either submit to suffering, at times bordering on starvation, in their native villages; or they must go forth in quest of new homes. Such movements of the people have already begun, not only under the spasmodic compulsion of famines, but also under the steady constraint of over-population. The sparsely inhabited tracts on the east and south of the Gangetic valley have from ancient times formed, and still form, the natural receptacles of this peasant outflow. Those tracts are now, for practical purposes, Assam and the Central Provinces. While population in some of the densely thronged districts of the Ganges has reached the stationary stage, the inhabitants in Assam increased by three-quarters of a million or over 18 per cent. in the nine years between the Census of 1872 and that of 1881. During the same period the inhabitants of the Central Provinces increased by $2\frac{1}{3}$ millions, or over 25 per cent. How far the increase is due to immigration, and to the children born of immigrants, it is not yet possible to state with precision. The quality of the unoccupied soil varies from unhealthy hill tracts in the Central Provinces to the great grass plains of the Brahmaputra, which, according to the Chief Commissioner, require only a sickle and a lucifer match to turn them into arable fields. Taken as a whole, the cultivable lands still unoccupied in Assam and the Central Provinces, deducting Government forests and the area within great private estates, exceed 17 millions of acres; or more than the whole area in Great Britain and Ireland under corn crops, green

crops, grass and all other crops in 1879, excluding, of course, permanent pasture.

"These vast reserves of land are a trust which the State holds, not only for the growing inhabitants of the territories within which they lie, but also for the overcrowded population of the Provinces adjacent to them. In three districts of the Central Provinces, from 13 to 15 per cent of the people are immigrants, and, if we add the children born to them, the proportion would be much higher. The majority of such new-comers cultivate the soil as tenants-at-will. When the land-settlement was made, most of the old tenants received occupancy or proprietary rights; and almost all the rest of them have since acquired occupancy-rights under the twelve-years' rule. 'The residuum,' to quote the words of our late colleague, Mr. Charles Crosthwaite, when in charge of the Bill, 'consists chiefly of new men—to a large extent of men who have taken waste or abandoned lands since the settlement.' The number of these 'new men' has not been placed before the Council, and they seem to be dismissed as a less important class than the occupancy-tenants. But I find that the holdings of tenants-at-will have increased from under half-a-million to over 1½ millions between 1872 and 1882 in the Central Provinces, and that they now exceed all the holdings of the two superior classes of tenants put together. Instead of being an insignificant residuum they have become the most important class of tenants, both numerically and for the purposes of this Act, as their whole status will depend on the rights accorded to them by this Act. They are also the most important class in regard to the future development of the Central Provinces. For it is these 'new men,' as Mr. Crosthwaite calls them, who will chiefly extend cultivation, raise rents and increase the revenue. A paper before the Council shows that they already cultivate nearly one-half of the whole land returned as tenants' holdings in the Central Provinces.

"What provision does the Act make for the well-being of this useful and important class of 'new men'? In parts of Bengal the tenants-at-will are so overcrowded, that a Bill now before the Council provides for increasing the protection accorded to them, at the cost of curtailing rights hitherto enjoyed by the landlords. The economic necessities of the case justify such increased protection. But I think that the Bengal landholders may reasonably ask that Government, before curtailing their privileges, shall do everything in its power to meet those economic necessities by throwing open the land to new comers in adjacent territories like the Central Provinces, where the State still retains a large measure of the proprietary right. By facilitating communication by road and railway, the Government has done much; and the projected line from Lower Bengal into the heart of the Central Provinces will still further aid the distribution of the people. But the question still remains whether the Land Law offers sufficient inducements to new comers to settle in those Provinces, and secures to them an adequate protection in the fields which they cultivate, and which, in many cases, they have reclaimed.

"The present Bill, together with the papers before the Council, offers to this question an answer, in some respects satisfactory, but in other respects, I fear, the reverse. The new settler and the tenant-at-will at once enter, under the provisions of the Act, on certain clearly defined rights. In the first place, the new comer, or tenant-at-will, gets his land at the low rate of 13⅙ annas per acre. Indeed, the superabundance of land is still so great in the Central Provinces, that, as far as the rates show, the tenants-at-will practically pay as low a rent as the conditional occupancy and absolute occupancy-tenants, whose average rate is 12½ annas per acre. The old occupancy-tenants, however, usually hold the most favourably situated fields. Once settled on a holding, the new comer or tenant-at-will immediately acquires the five following rights under this Act. First, he must pay the rent agreed between himself and his landlord, but it requires a process at law for the landlord to eject him, or to raise the rent except with the tenant's consent. Second, if the tenant agrees to pay the enhanced rent demanded by the process of law, he is exempt from any further enhancement by judicial process for seven years. Third, if he declines to pay the enhanced rent and gives up his holding, he is

entitled to compensation for improvements, and to a compensation for disturbance equal to seven times the enhancement demanded on the rent. Fourth, subject to the above, his right to continue on his holding becomes, from the moment he enters on it, hereditary in his family, although not passing to collaterals. Finally, he has a right to purchase the status of an occupancy-tenant by the payment of 2½ times the annual rent. As regards, therefore, the immediate rights of the new comer and the tenant-at-will, this Act makes a most liberal provision. It may fairly claim to have done away with tenants-at-will altogether, and to have raised them, in fact as well as in name, into the new class which it terms 'ordinary tenants.'

"But if we look beyond the immediate rights conferred to the future status created by the Bill for new comers and ordinary tenants, the prospect is not so satisfactory. Such tenants enter at once upon all the privileges which they will ever acquire under the Act, and the element of the growth of rights is altogether absent. But the superabundance of land affords an ample protection to such tenants in the meanwhile, apart from any legislative enactment; and the Bill makes no adequate provision for the time when the superabundance of land will have disappeared. So long as the economic relation of land and labour suffices to protect the new comer and the ordinary tenant, they have no need to resort to the Bill. When the present exceptional relations of land and labour in the Central Provinces shall have given place to competitive rents, the ordinary tenants will resort to the Bill in vain. For this Bill abolishes the chief safeguard which the ordinary tenant has enjoyed from time immemorial, not only in the Central Provinces, but in almost every part of India; namely, the growth of a right of occupancy accruing from the continued cultivation of the land.

"I am aware, my Lord, that, in raising the point which I now desire to bring before the Council, I may be charged with inconsistency. The Select Committee on this Bill has already presented several reports approving of the measure, and of that Select Committee I have the honour to be a member. The first report of the Committee suggested the abolition of the twelve-years' rule which conferred the right of occupancy, and I signed the report. But in that report we distinctly said that the majority of the Committee desired to reserve its opinion as to the expediency of the amendments proposed. I was absent on tour as President of the Education Commission when the Committee came to the consideration of those amendments, and presented its second report, dated the 6th September, 1882, approving of the proposal with regard to occupancy-rights. That report I did not sign, and, at the first meeting of the Committee which I subsequently attended, I brought the question of the twelve-years' rule before the members. I ascertained that the subject had been fully considered; and it would have been unsuitable to again raise a question upon which the Select Committee had made up its mind. I now desire to state, while acknowledging the many admirable provisions of the Bill, and while giving my support to the measure as a whole, the reasons which lead me to regret this particular feature of it.

"Until to-day, one-half of the tenants' holdings in the Central Provinces have been held by men who were in the process of acquiring occupancy-rights under the twelve-years' rule. After the passing of this Bill, those men will lose all further chance of acquiring such rights. The arguments which have led to this sudden change seem to me inadequate; and the privileges which the Bill substitutes for the growth of occupancy-rights seem to me insufficient. The arguments for putting an end to the growth of those rights, as disclosed by the papers before the Council, are two-fold. First, that the landholders of the Central Provinces, in order to prevent these rights accruing, harass their tenants by frequently shifting their holdings. Second, that a large amount of litigation is thereby involved, injurious alike to the landlord and the tenant. The result is, as summed up in the speech of the hon'ble the Legal Member this morning, to render the position of the ordinary tenant one of great insecurity. But the first of these two arguments is stated by Mr. Jones, now Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, to be 'demonstrably unsound.' Mr. Jones points out in his letter, dated 18th September, 1880, that the protection clauses (in the Bill as it formerly stood) do not require that a tenant should cultivate the same

land. Under such protection clauses, the tenant's claim to occupancy-rights by twelve years' continuous cultivation may run—and it is proposed in Bengal that it shall run—so long as the tenant holds land in the same village or estate. I am aware that Mr. Jones has since accepted the Bill as a whole, but, as far as I have seen, he has not altered his opinion on this point. The demand for tenants is so great in the Central Provinces, and the present difference between the rate of rent paid by the ordinary tenant and the occupancy-tenant is so small, that, although a landlord might try to break the twelve years' continuous occupancy by shifting the holdings of his tenants upon his own estate, in very few cases would he drive a tenant off his property with a view to preventing the growth of occupancy-rights. Nor is combination between neighbouring landlords for that purpose possible on any considerable scale, in the present relation of land to labour in the Central Provinces. As a matter of fact, Mr. Crosthwaite admits that the twelve-years' rule has operated freely in those Provinces, and 'that the great mass of the tenants who were in existence at the settlement have acquired rights under the twelve-years' rule.' In support of the second argument, namely, excessive litigation, Mr. Crosthwaite, in his able memorandum of the 20th February, 1883, quotes the statistics of applications made to the Courts to eject tenants, and lays special stress on the increasing number of these applications during the past four years. I find that the average during the four years amounted to 2,839 applications, and that the number during 1880-81, the last year cited, was 2,780. Taking the highest of these figures and calculating it upon the 1,556,823 holdings by tenants-at-will in the Central Provinces, I find that the applications to eject averaged only one a year to 548 holdings by tenants-at-will. I do not think that this can be called excessive litigation. A large proportion of these tenants-at-will have acquired occupancy-rights or are approaching the acquisition of them. The obvious and simple way to test their occupancy-rights is by means of an application for ejectment, and I think that one such suit to every 548 holdings is a very cheap price to pay for the assertion of their rights. I am aware that in certain districts the average was higher. But in those districts the competition for land had become more severe, the value of occupancy-rights, if successfully maintained, had become greater to the tenant, and I think the increased litigation necessary to maintain those rights was a cheap price to pay for them. It is impossible to give land-rights without creating a necessity for asserting and defending those rights in the Courts of law. A third argument against the continuance of the twelve-years' rule was brought forward by the hon'ble the Legal Member in his speech this morning. If I caught the argument aright it amounts to this: The continuance of the twelve-years' rule would involve a settlement of rates, and a settlement of rates is a costly process to Government. But the general re-settlement of the Central Provinces is impending. In individual districts the period of the old settlement has expired, or will shortly run out. Until the re-settlement is effected in the ordinary course, the twelve-years' rule might continue to be carried out, as in Bengal, through the operation of the Court. I think, therefore, that the arguments brought forward for the abolition of the twelve-years' rule conferring occupancy-rights, are inadequate.

"The privileges conferred by the Bill in lieu of the acquisition of occupancy-rights by ordinary tenants seem to me equally insufficient. It is sometimes argued as if the twelve-years' rule was an arbitrary invention of Act X of 1859. As a matter of fact, the rule has existed in one form or another ever since the British Government began to concern itself about the rights of the people. What Act X did was to select, from among the various terms of years which had been current in different parts of the country, the single term of twelve years, and to make it applicable to all Provinces to which the law was extended. This term coincided with the period of limitation in suits on account of immoveable property, and it fairly applied to the older settled Provinces. But before any single term obtained the rigidity of law, there had been also other periods with the binding force of custom. More than sixty years ago Sir J. E. Colebrooke, in his Minute on Settlement, dated 12th July, 1820, proposed that an enactment should be passed 'declaring the resident tenants to be not removable as long as they continue to pay the same rent

which they have paid during the last five years.' Sir W. Sleeman in 1840 applied the five-years' period of continuous occupation as a test of occupancy-rights to parts of the Central Provinces which were then under the British Government. Mr. Charles Grant, in his paper now before the Council, dated the 13th September, 1873, stated 'that this rule retained its place in popular acceptation as late as 1855, and it was acted upon in the settlement of some parts of the Central Provinces.' The five-years' rule in favour of the tenant was made harder by Act X of 1859, requiring twelve years of continuous occupation. The twelve-years' rule in favour of the tenant is now to be altogether abolished in those Provinces, for reasons which, as I have shown, cannot be maintained. From this day the new-comers and ordinary tenants of the Central Provinces may bring the jungle under cultivation and reclaim the wastes, but their rights to the fruits of their labour will never increase (except by purchase) from the moment after they have entered on the land.

"I have admitted that the compensation given by the Bill to the tenants for taking away their growing right of occupancy is liberal, if we look only to the immediate results. But the more successful that compensation may be as an inducement to immigration in the present, the harder will be the lot of the people in the future. For, with the influx of cultivators, rent will rise, and the whole advantages conferred by this Bill seem to me to depend upon the present low rate of rent due to under-population. The Bill leaves the ordinary tenant in all time coming to make such a bargain as he can with the landlord: which means in India submission to whatever terms the landlord may impose. Once the increase of population has taken place, the only practical check upon rack-renting will be the seven years' compensation for disturbance. The compensation for improvements will be inoperative, for the Bill gives the first right of making improvements not to the ordinary tenants but to the landlord. Nor does the Bill protect the ordinary tenant who clings to his land and submits to a rise of rent, from an enhancement arising out of the improvements which he himself has made. The provision for the purchase of occupancy-rights by ordinary tenants will be little operative. Indeed, the framers of this provision admit that they do not expect it to be resorted to on any considerable scale. For, assuming, as the former draft of the Bill assumed, the maximum difference between occupancy and ordinary rates of rent to be 25 per cent., the sum which the ordinary tenant must pay for occupancy-rights would, at 12 per cent. interest per annum, exceed the maximum benefit in rent which he could gain by the transaction. It is doubtful whether the ordinary tenant could borrow at 12 per cent.

"The one real safeguard which the Bill gives is the compensation for disturbance equal to seven times the enhancement demanded. The Hon'ble Sir Steuart Bayley has told the Council this morning that, if the provision of compensation for disturbance fails, the ordinary tenant will be worse off than under the old state of things. Mr. Crosthwaite, when in charge of the Bill, admitted that compensation for disturbance was a new experiment in Indian legislation. I believe it is a new experiment in legislation in any country. The only precedent with which I am acquainted is the Irish Land Law. The experiment was first tried by the Irish Landlord and Tenant Act of 1870, and it did not succeed. The causes of its failure, so far as I have seen them stated, were due chiefly to the inadequacy and unsuitability of the scale. The Irish Land Law of 1881 has, therefore, amended and increased the scale. Whether even this higher scale will suffice to protect the tenant no man can yet say. But the higher scale found necessary to give compensation for disturbance a fair chance in Ireland is not seven times the enhancement claimed, but a sum not exceeding seven times the whole rent. This is applicable to rents of £30 or under, which would practically include all rents paid by ordinary tenants in the Central Provinces. That is to say, if an Irish tenant sitting at a rent of £10 refuses to agree to an enhancement of £1, and is ejected in consequence, his landlord has to pay him a sum not exceeding £70 as compensation for disturbance. The same man in the Central Provinces can receive as compensation only £7. I am aware that the competition for land is at present much less keen in the Central Provinces than in Ireland; but compensation for disturbance is intended to protect the tenant when the competition for land in the Central Provinces

has grown more intense. The contrast is equally great if the tenant submits to the enhancement. In Ireland, he would receive a statutory lease for 15 years at a rent fixed by a Court of law. At the end of that period the rent could only be raised upon cause shown by the landlord to the Court, in which case the tenant would get a fresh statutory lease for another term of 15 years, and so on for ever. The tenant in the Central Provinces has to submit to an enhanced rent, not as impartially fixed by a Court, but as demanded by his landlord and enforced by process of law. He receives protection from a further arbitrary enhancement by the same process for only for seven years, and at the end of the seven years he is entirely at the mercy of the landlord. This Bill substitutes for the old customary growth of occupancy-rights, which have existed from time immemorial in India, new legislative devices copied from the English law. But it deprives those devices of the stringency by which the English law renders them operative in favour of the tenant.

"I had hoped that the duty of stating these objections would have fallen to a member of the Council whose views would have carried the weight of greater experience than mine. My hon'ble friend Mr. Reynolds, one of the chief authorities in Bengal on questions of land-administration, signed the third report of the Select Committee with much hesitation, as he was not satisfied that the interests of the tenants were sufficiently protected. He has now written to me that he intended, if the Bill had come before the Council in Calcutta, to oppose it on grounds similar to those which I have taken up. If your Lordship will allow me, I should like to read the following sentences from his letter :—

'In regard to the tenants who have not yet acquired the rights of occupancy, and the tenants who may take land hereafter, the provisions of the Bill are disastrous. They are resident cultivators, and, whether they have held for twelve years or not, they are entitled under the common law of India to the status of occupancy-raiyats. But the Bill declares not only that they do not possess that status, but that they shall never acquire it. As to future tenants, the scheme is one of cottierism. Compensation for ejectment is quite a new experiment in India, and it may safely be said that it will be inefficacious. It is certain that the raiyat will submit to any exaction rather than surrender his holding. The Bill will reduce the great mass of the population to the condition of rack-rented tenants.'

"I do not go so far as my hon'ble friend either in regard to the common law of India, which has not yet been so accurately ascertained as in my opinion to permit of generalisations from it, or in regard to the disastrous consequences which he anticipates from this Bill. I believe that the Act as a whole will prove beneficial both in respect to the amended procedure which it lays down, and by the clearly defined status which it provides for the two superior classes of tenants. But I think that the abolition of the growth of occupancy-rights under the twelve-years' rule is particularly unfortunate at present. It is of the utmost importance that population should be induced to move into the unoccupied lands of the Central Provinces. I have shown that such a movement has already begun, and the Government is doing what it can to assist the movement by facilities of communication. But to tell the men who come in and clear the forest and bring the land under tillage that, while by their labours the landlord's rent shall rise and the Government revenue increase, they themselves shall never acquire occupancy-rights except by purchase, that, indeed, they shall never obtain a single further right in the soil than that which they possess on the first day that they break up the land, seems equally opposed to Indian custom in the past and to economic expediency in the present. Before considering this aspect of the Bill, I examined the available evidence regarding the movements of the people. It is to such movements quite as much as to the legislation now impending in Bengal, that we must look for a permanent remedy for the poverty and over-population of the Gangetic provinces. The facts available are of a scanty character, as the census does not show the children born to immigrants. But they suffice to disclose the inexpediency of putting any check upon the acquisition of land-rights in sparsely peopled tracts. Since the census of 1872 a vast new population of cultivators has sprung up in the Central Provinces, all of whom have until to-day been acquiring occupancy-rights; but not one of whom will now be permitted to complete the

acquisition of those rights, as the interval since the last census does not amount to twelve complete years. During the same period, more than a million of new holdings by tenants-at-will appear on the returns. How many individual tenants are represented by these holdings the statistics do not show. But every one of this million of new holdings will be now excluded from the customary growth of occupancy-rights. What Mr. Crosthwaite calls the 'residuum chiefly of new men,' at one time comparatively insignificant, but who now occupy nearly one-half of the whole area of tenants' holdings in the Central Provinces, and who will hereafter form the chief source of increase in the cultivation of those Provinces, are from to-day for ever debarred from acquiring occupancy-rights. I think it is much to be regretted that the movements of the people have never formed the subject of a comprehensive enquiry by the Government of India. I believe that the facts elicited by such an enquiry would have prevented this mistake in an Act which, in other respects, has been carefully considered, and which will prove beneficial to the people.

"I am aware that your Lordship's Government had in this Bill to find a workable middle line between two extreme parties—between the partisans of the landlords and the tenants' friends. I acknowledge the fairness and the skill with which that line has been struck, excepting at one point—a point not of immediate urgency, although of great future importance. The increasing population in the Central Provinces is already making itself felt in two ways—by a rise of rent in some districts, and by a more intensive husbandry in others. The holdings of the two superior classes of tenants with occupancy-rights numbered just over a quarter of a million in 1872, with an average of 16 acres a-piece. They had increased to 1½ million in 1882, with an average of under five acres. The holdings of the tenants-at-will were under half a million in 1872, with an average of ten acres. They now exceed 1½ million, with an average of three acres. During the last ten years, therefore, the tenants' holdings in the Central Provinces have increased more than four-fold in numbers, and have decreased to one-fifth of their previous average area. The time when the tenants-at-will must require protection is, therefore, not in the distant future. But for the Act which we are now about to pass, that protection would have been given under the customary twelve-years' rule of continuous occupation, and it was given in the earlier draft of the Bill. I believe that the protection thus accorded would have been in strict consonance with the teaching of the past and with the wants of the future. It would have been accorded without any injury to private proprietary rights, for the Government has not yet permitted such rights to fully consolidate themselves in the Central Provinces. The proprietary body is there a comparatively recent creation of British rule, and still holds its land subject to conditions which the Government may make in favour of the tenants-at-will at the next settlement. In this respect the Government had an opportunity to provide for the future of the cultivators of the Central Provinces without infringing on proprietary rights—an opportunity which it has long since lost in Bengal, and which it will no longer enjoy even in the Central Provinces when private proprietary rights have consolidated. The very increase of population which will render a greater degree of protection necessary for the tenants, will also render it more difficult for the legislature to grant such protection without injustice to the landlords. The recognition of the pre-existing twelve-years' rule of occupancy under the safeguards recommended by the present Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, and set forth in the earlier draft of this Bill, would have got rid of that difficulty once and for ever. The rights of the cultivators would have grown with a natural and customary growth, as the necessity for such rights augmented. The problem which might at present have been so simple to deal with in the Central Provinces, has become complicated by private proprietary rights in Bengal. I therefore, equally with my hon'ble friend Mr. Quinton, enter a *caveat* against the arguments which I have used in regard to the Central Provinces being transferred, except with great caution and with many reservations, to the proposed Rent Bill for Bengal. I regret to observe a disposition in some of the papers before the Council to minimise this Bill as one intended only for the present, to refrain from seeking a basis for the tenants-at-will in the history of the past, and from attempting to forecast their necessities in the future. It was, therefore, with parti-

cular pleasure that I listened to the exhaustive retrospect in the speech of the hon'ble the Legal Member to-day. For land-legislation, if it is to be fair, must be based on the history of the past, and, if it is to be safe, it must take into consideration the economic changes impending in the future. For the future will assuredly arrive and bring with it the consequences of the present. Those consequences, if unchecked in the Central Provinces, will in time produce a population of small tenants holding at competitive rents. I sincerely hope that those consequences will be checked, and I think the Government of India may be safely trusted to devise the means. For the great measures of land-legislation, with which your Lordship's name will for ever be associated, are in reality measures for the protection of the peasant. This Bill gives ample security to the cultivator so long as the population continues sparse; and I hope that additional safeguards will be provided as the population increases."

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—"I should like to make one or two observations on the remarks which have fallen from my hon'ble friend Mr. Hunter. I listened with feelings of regret to a great portion of that speech, because I felt it was a very powerful argument against the provisions of this Bill, and I began to fear that the Bill might be open to the objections which he was urging against it. But I confess I was somewhat comforted by the last sentence of his speech, in which he said that this Bill made ample provision for the right of the cultivators so long as the population was sparse. That, however, is really all that the Bill professes to do. Certainly it was all I thought that the Bill would do. It appears to me that, in dealing with this very difficult question of the relations between landlord and tenant, what we have to do is to treat it with reference to the varying conditions of different parts of India as they come before us when we undertake legislation. I feel strongly that legislation which might be wise for one province with a thin population might be altogether inadequate to provide proper securities for the cultivators of the soil in the more thickly populated districts of India.

"In preparing the Bill, the object of its framers has been to deal with the circumstances of the province at the present time. It is undesirable to interfere more than may be necessary in the relations between landlord and tenant, because such interference is always a delicate matter. I am not, however, one of those who object to interference of that kind when necessary; but I think it wise in undertaking such interference to pay careful regard to the agricultural arrangements of each district, and I am not at all inclined to attempt to force one uniform system upon all parts of the country.

"My friend Mr. Hunter spoke of the case of Ireland. He said that some of the proposals in this Bill were borrowed from Bills passed in respect of Ireland, and that they were even less extended in their scope than the proposals contained in the Irish Land Act of 1870, which have been proved to be inadequate. My answer to that objection is this. In Ireland you have a much more keen competition for land than at present exists in the Central Provinces. What may be inadequate in Ireland may not be inadequate in the present circumstances of the Central Provinces. It is very possible that this measure may not afford sufficient protection for the rights of ordinary tenants in the Central Provinces if their circumstances should change. But if they do change, it will be the duty of the Government of India to consider what legislative arrangements will be necessary to meet their altered condition. What we have endeavoured to do now is to provide for these circumstances as we find them, and to have recourse to the minimum of interference in the arrangements between landlord and tenant, which appear to us to be sufficient to give the cultivators of the soil in those Provinces due protection against exorbitant enhancement of rent and arbitrary eviction. It is my hope that this measure will be effectual for that purpose; but this remains to be seen. Ten or twenty years hence it is possible that these arrangements may be found inadequate, and, should that be the case, it will be for the Government of that day to apply a remedy.

"I confess, with respect to the twelve-years' rule, that I cannot speak of it with the amount of satisfaction with which it has been spoken of by my hon'ble friend Mr. Hunter. I share strongly the opinion expressed in an able paper on

the Bengal rent question by my friend Mr. Justice Cunningham, who brings forward there, very clearly and plainly, the objections which lie against any system which makes the acquirement of occupancy-rights dependent on the efflux of a fixed and determined period of time. All the evidence goes to show that that system is open to objection, and it is very undesirable that it should be allowed to grow up. My Hon'ble friend Mr. Hunter argues that the evils resulting from it have not yet sprung up in the Central Provinces; but there is evidence to show that they are already appearing there as the population increases; and it seems to me that it was advisable to put a stop to them now, rather than to wait till we have to encounter hereafter those difficulties which now meet us in Bengal. I yield to no man in the desire to protect the just rights of tenants, and I hope and believe that this Bill will operate to strengthen the position of the cultivating tenants of the Central Provinces. The Bill is not intended, as has been justly remarked by the Hon'ble Mr. Quinton, as a precedent to be followed in other provinces the condition of which is very different, but it is a measure applicable to the circumstances of the day in the Central Provinces; and, if hereafter it should require amendment, I have no doubt that the Government of India will know how to deal with any fresh circumstances which may arise."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

NATIVE PASSENGER SHIPS BILL.

The Hon'ble Mr. Ilbert moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876. He said that the object of the Bill was to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, VIII of 1876, with a view to provide for the better regulation of the pilgrim-traffic between British India and Arabia. This traffic had formed the subject of correspondence between the Secretary of State, the Government of India and the various Local maritime Governments in India. A careful consideration had brought the Government to the conclusion that the importance of the pilgrim-traffic made its detailed regulation imperative, and that, to secure uniformity of procedure, and thereby avoid the friction which must inevitably follow divergence between rules separately framed by different States, it was desirable that on all the more important points a common understanding should be come to among the Governments who were chiefly interested in the proper management of that traffic. The establishment of a practical coincidence between the general provisions of the local Turkish regulations and those of the law of India could only be effected by diplomatic correspondence between the British and Turkish Governments. But, since experience had shown that the provisions of the Indian law as it at present stood were insufficient to meet the peculiar exigencies of this traffic, and that in some respects they required revision, it seemed desirable, before attempting to bring about an assimilation of the British and Turkish laws, to make such amendments of our own law as were necessary to put it in a satisfactory state.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Ilbert also introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble Mr. Ilbert also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Gazette of India*, and in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, the *Bombay Government Gazette*, the *Calcutta Gazette* and the *British Burma Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Governments might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

RANGOON STREET TRAMWAYS BILL.

The Hon'ble Mr. Ilbert also moved for leave to introduce a Bill to authorize the making, and to regulate the working, of Street Tramways in Rangoon. He said that the Municipal Committee of Rangoon had entered into an agreement with Mr. J. W. Darwood by which they conferred upon him the exclusive right to construct and work public tramways within the limits of the municipality. The sanction of the Chief Commissioner had been obtained,

but legislation was necessary both for the purpose of giving the requisite powers for interference with the streets and for the purpose of regulating the use of the tramways.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Gazette of India*, and in the *British Burma Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Government might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

CATTLE-TRESPASS ACT, 1871, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871. He said that, by the Central Provinces Local Self-government Act passed at the beginning of this year, provision was made for transferring to the local authorities constituted under that Act some of the functions which, under the law as laid down in the Cattle-trespass Act, must be performed by the Magistrate of the district or the local officers, and also for crediting the surplus sale-proceeds of impounded cattle to the local fund. Provisions for the same purpose had been introduced both into the Bill which had been introduced at the Legislative Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for amending the system of local self-government in that province, and also into the Bills now pending before this Council for local self-government in the Panjáb and the North-Western Provinces. There was no difficulty about these provisions so far as they were contained in the latter Bills, but doubts had been entertained whether, inasmuch as these provisions amounted to an amendment of the Cattle-trespass Act, their enactment would not be beyond the competency of a local legislature such as that of Bengal. Under these circumstances, the best course to adopt would be to make the Act more elastic by enabling Local Governments to make the requisite changes by executive order.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Gazette of India*, and in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, the *Bombay Government Gazette* and the *Calcutta Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Governments might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

PROTECTION OF INVENTIONS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved for leave to introduce a Bill for the protection of inventions exhibited in the Exhibitions of India. He said that this Bill had been prepared in view of the forthcoming Exhibition to be held at Calcutta next cold season. It had been brought to the notice of Government that the want of some such protection might probably deter inventors of important inventions from sending them, and thus prevent the exhibition of some interesting exhibits. The effect of the Bill, if it became law, would be that, if an inventor exhibiting his invention applied, within six months from the opening of the Exhibition, for leave to file a specification, the circumstance of the invention having been publicly used after the opening of the Exhibition would not affect his rights. The Bill was based on an English Statute which had been passed for a similar purpose, and the differences between he present Bill and the English Act were mainly to be explained by reference to the differences between the English and Indian Patent Acts.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Gazette of India*, and in the local official Gazettes in English and in such other languages as the Local Governments might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

SUNDRY BILLS.

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON moved that the Hon'ble Mr. Barkley be added to the Select Committees on the following Bills:—

Bill to provide for the constitution of Local Boards in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

Bill to make better provision for the Organization and Administration of Municipalities in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

AGRICULTURAL LOANS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Hon'ble MR. QUINTON be added to the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to loans of money for agricultural improvements.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 27th June, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA;
The 6th July, 1883.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 27th June, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.

The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

AGRICULTURAL LOANS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. QUINTON presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to loans of money for agricultural improvements.

NATIVE PASSENGER SHIPS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Bill to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, the Hon'ble Mr. Hunter and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

RANGOON STREET TRAMWAYS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill to authorize the making, and to regulate the working, of Street Tramways in Rangoon be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Messrs. Hope, Hunter and Quinton and the Mover, with instruction to report in one month.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

CATTLE-TRESPASS ACT, 1871, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble Mr. ILBERT also moved that the Bill to amend the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, the Hon'ble Messrs. Quinton and Barkley and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

PROTECTION OF INVENTIONS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill for the protection of inventions exhibited in the Exhibitions of India be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, the Hon'ble Mr. Barkley and the Mover, with instruction to report in seven weeks. He said:—

"My Lord, I observed last week that this Bill was based on an English Statute. The Council are perhaps aware that a Bill to consolidate with amendments the Patent Law is now before Parliament; and I observe that a clause of that Bill, which purports to reproduce the Statute to which I have referred, contains a proviso which appears to me to be new, and which requires the exhibitor (in order that he may get the benefit of it) to give previous notice of his intention to exhibit. I mention this detail, as it may possibly be thought desirable to introduce a similar condition into the Indian Bill."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 11th July, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA;

The 5th July, 1883.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 3rd JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Heavy rain has fallen at Cuttack, Moulmein, and Akyab; elsewhere in Burma, Assam, and Bengal the rain has been lighter than in the previous week, but sufficient for present needs. Abundant rain and favourable weather are reported from the Central Provinces, and the monsoon current seems to have partially reached the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Punjab, though the rainfall has as yet been slight and insufficient. According to latest reports westerly winds prevail. In Central and Southern India more or less rain has fallen everywhere; in the Southern Mahratta Country, in Mysore, and parts of Rajputana a further supply is much needed; elsewhere it has been generally sufficient, while unprecedented floods are reported from Surat.

In Sind the dry weather of previous weeks has disappeared; a moderate quantity of rain has fallen and more is expected, but the rivers are unusually low.

Agricultural operations are in active progress throughout India, and, except in the tracts already mentioned as in need of more rain, prospects so far are favourable. Harvesting continues in Madras, and the standing crops in that Presidency and Mysore are in good condition. Rice is being sown and transplanted in Assam and Bengal, and in the latter province jute, sugarcane, and indigo are thriving wherever they have not been injured by floods.

Locusts are still prevalent in Bombay, but appear to be disappearing from Rajputana. Cattle-disease exists in most provinces, but is at present severe only in parts of Burma.

Prices are variable, with a downward tendency wherever good rain has fallen.

Cholera still rages in Poona and Ahmednagar, elsewhere it is on the decrease; but fever is prevalent.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 4th)		
Bellary ...	·12 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	2·25 (average of nine stations).	Small-pox and cattle-disease in parts.
Ganjam ...	3·19 (average of sixteen stations).	Two cases of cholera.
Kistna ...	2·49 (average of twelve stations).	Small-pox abating.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	·8 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest *kar*, paddy, &c., yield half; small-pox, cholera, and cattle-disease in parts.
Coimbatore ...	·59 (average of three stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest *cholum* and *cumboo* in parts, outturn above average; fever and cholera in parts.
Tanjore ...	·3 (average of four stations).	Standing crops generally good; 28 deaths from cholera.
Madura ...	.....	Standing crops fair, except in one taluk; harvest dry crops in parts; fever slight in parts of one taluk.
Malabar ...	8·34 (average of fourteen stations).	First crop progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in nine taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts latter slight.
Travancore ...	1·322	Paddy plants in good condition; fever prevails. *General Remarks.*—General prospects good.
Bombay—(July 4th)		
Kurrachee ...	Good showers of rain in Kurrachee—·63 last Friday and Sunday.	More rain threatening; 1 fresh case of small-pox in Kurrachee on 27th, 2 remaining sick; disease also in few villages in districts, 19 fresh cases, 1 death, 20 remaining sick; fever in six talukas; river at Kotri on 2nd 12 feet, against 15 feet 6 inches last year; damage anticipated to crops in Tatta from lowness of river; wheat, red rice, and *bajri* in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 36 lbs., in Manjhand 28, 32 and 48, in Sakro 16, 30 and 44, and in Mirpur Botoro 22, 30 and 34 lbs. per rupee respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in six talukas—average fall 1·36.	Lowness of river has caused anxiety; small-pox in four, fever in two, and cattle-disease in three talukas; wheat 25, *bajri* 39, *juari* 46, red rice 28, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	1·36	Total rainfall 5·42; sowing commenced; wheat 26 and *bajri* 29½ lbs per rupee.
Baroda ...	8·24	Total rainfall 10·89; public health good; sowing operations commenced everywhere, except in Amreli, where rain is wanted; transplantation of rice commenced in a few places of Naosari; *bajri* 26½ to 27¾ lbs. and rice 23¼ lbs. per British rupee.
Surat ...	.....	Total rainfall about 22·0; heavy and unprecedented floods in Surat.
Násik ...	Good rain everywhere	Small-pox in Sinnar; cholera abating, 86 deaths reported; transplanting of rice and *nagli* and sowing of *urd* and *mung* nearly completed; locusts in most talukas damaging rice and *nagli* plants; wheat 25 *bajri* 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—*contd.*		
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Rain every day; total of week 3·06.	Total rainfall to date 14·80, being 9·42 below average; abnormal temperature from 2° cool to 1° warm; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind gradually backed from north-west on 1st to south on 3rd; gale on 3rd, thunderstorm on 29th.
Poona ...	Maximum ·66 at Kharkala; minimum ·09 at Bhimthari.	Slight damage to young crops by locusts in Ellawal taluka; cholera cases 1,107, fatal 422; *bajri* 37 and *juari* 44 lbs. per rupee, in Poona *bajri* 32 and *juari* 39 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	2·43 in Akola; 1·45 in Kopargaon; 1·16 in Nagar; 1·09 in Newasa; 1·05 in Sangamner; slight in all others.	Sowing of *kharif* in progress in Shrigonda, Rahuri, Karjat, and Jamkhed; cholera in all talukas, 1,906 attacks and 817 deaths; *bajri*—maximum 51 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 33 lbs. in Akola; *juari*—66 lbs. in Jamkhed, minimum 36 lbs. in Akola.
Sholapur ...	1·74	Total rainfall 12·58; *kharif* sowings in progress; *juari* 58 and *bajri* 51 lbs. per rupee; cholera cases 91, deaths 35.
Dharwar ...	Rain at all stations, except Ron—maximum at Hangal, 4·26; very slight in eastern talukas.	Standing young rice and sugarcane crops fair in Navalgund and Gadag talukas; sowing retarded for want of rain, and in Nargund petta, Hangal, and Karajgi by excess of rain, elsewhere *ragi* and *juari* sowings in progress where field had been already prepared; public health good; scarcity of drinking-water in some villages of Nargund petta continues; *juari* 57 and rice 31 lbs. per rupee.
Kanara ...	Karwar, 7·58; Kumpta, 13·06; Sirsi, 6·67; Hallial, 2·31.	Transplanting and weeding continue, also sowing in some places; rice plants, sugarcane, and garden crops healthy; rainfall favourable; small-pox in coast talukas; slight fever throughout the district; common rice in Karwar 12 seers 2 chittacks per rupee, in district average 14 seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	Heavy rain night of 3rd 8·88.	Total rainfall 10·06; weather cloudy, high wind blowing; cholera in six villages of Nawanagar, Und, and two other places; general health good; *bajri* 28 and *juari* 34 lbs. per rupee.
		General Remarks.—Rain throughout the Presidency and Sind, but urgently wanted in parts of Southern Mahratta Country, where sowing is retarded in consequence, river also low in Sind; sowing in general progress; locusts in Násik, Poona, Ahmednagar, Khandesh, Tanna, and Ratnagiri; cholera in most Deccan districts, Kaladgi, and Tanna; small-pox, fever, and cattle-disease in a few places.
Bengal—(July 4th)		
Chittagong ...	7·42	Weather seasonable; transplanting of *aus* and sowing of *amun* going on; prospects fair; prices steady; fever and cattle-disease bad in Cox's bazar; cholera not yet abated.
Dacca ...	2·46	*Amun* paddy and *aus* being sown in one station owing to sudden rise of water; crops on low lands in Nawabgunge under water; jute destroyed to a certain extent by worms in the said station; *aus* rice being harvested.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta)	2·68	Prospects of early and *amun* crops good; early crops doing well; transplanting of *amun* paddy going on in parts of the district, and high lands being prepared for the crop; price of common rice stationary; public health good.
Moorshedabad ...	2·27	Prospects of crops favourable; *bhadoi* crops thriving well; sowing of *amun* paddy still continues; public health on the whole good.
Rajshahye ...	·49; slight rain	State of crops good; *til* an average crop.
Burdwan ...	2·36	Ploughing for *amun* paddy going on; more rain wanted for transplanting in Cutwa and Cutwa sub-divisions, elsewhere rainfall sufficient and transplanting in progress; public health fair.
Rungpore ...	·22	Prospects of crops good; transplanting of *amun* paddy begun; *kaon* and *cheena* millets being reaped; cholera still somewhat prevalent in some parts of the district.
Bhagálpur ...	·30	Prospects good except in Muddehporah, where floods have damaged the young paddy; fresh seed being sown; health good.
Purneah ...	·44	Paddy and indigo much improved; prices of food-grains stationary; public health fair; rivers falling.
Patna ...	1·62	Prospects of standing crops good; ploughing and sowing going on; *makai* has germinated in some places; cholera reported from Barrh and Behar sub-divisions.
Durbhunga ...	1·37	Weather hot, cloudy, and showery; sowing of *bhadoi* and paddy crops and transplanting of paddy progressing; prices rising slightly; cholera almost disappeared; health good.
Hazáribágh ...	1·14	Weather warm and cloudy; sowing of *bhadoi* and early rice continue; public health good.
Cuttack ...	12·06; weather rainy	Rivers risen but falling to-day 3rd; sowing finished; plants coming up; prices stationary; public health generally good.
		General Remarks.—There has been generally seasonable rain during the week; agricultural prospects are favourable, save in a few localities where crops on low lands have suffered from excessive rain and floods; early rice and jute are doing well and ploughing and sowing of *amun* rice are in full progress; in some places transplanting of *amun* seedlings has commenced; in Behar and elsewhere *bhadoi* sowings are being vigorously pushed on; sugarcane is thriving well and indigo prospects are fair; sesamum and *cheena* and *kaon* millets are being reaped, early rice is also being reaped in a few districts; public health generally fair, though cholera still lingers in some districts, and fever is reported from a few.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 3rd)	·3; Chandausi, 1·1	Some *kharif* crops sown; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ 4th)	1·0 in four tahsils	Weather sultry, more rain wanted; cholera slightly on the increase; prices steady.
Gorakhpur („ 2nd)	2·2	Sky cloudy; *kharif* sowings in progress; some small-pox, but no cases of cholera; prices steady.
Jhánsi („ „)	1·8; Mau, 1·5; Moth, ·6; Garotha, 2·4.	Weather cloudy and stormy; ploughing and manuring in progress; prices rising; health good; no cattle-disease.
Agra („ 3rd)	·2 to 1·4 in six parganas.	Fever in two and small-pox in four parganas; sporadic cholera in five parganas; prices steady.
Bareilly („ „)	1·5 average	Weather cooler; rains commenced on 30th ultimo; ploughing begun; prices almost stationary; health remains good.
Meerut („ „)	8·0 to 3·0 average on 30th ult'mo.	Since then weather clear and hot; health good; prices stationary.
Kumaun ..	Slight rain	Rains not set in; crops doing well; health good; cattle-disease still prevalent; prices unchanged.
Lucknow (July 3rd)	·9; Malihabad, 2·7; Mohanlalganj, 3·5.	Weather cool and cloudy; *kharif* sowings in progress; prices steady; slight cholera in the city and small-pox prevalent in the Mahona pargana.
Partabgarh („ „)	Rain fairly general; slight in Kunda and Patti tahsils; being only ·10.	A slight rise in prices; *kharif* crops being sown here and there; general health good.
Sitapur („ „)	·8 average	More rain now required; ploughing progressing slowly; sugar-cane healthy.
Fyzabad („ „)	No rain	Sowing of *kharif* crops commenced; cattle-disease in part of district; health good.
Rae Bareli („ 2nd)	Sadr, ·8 and ·6	Weather cloudy, wind easterly; cholera abating; prices stationary.
Cawnpore („ „)	Average fall in eight parganas 1·1.	Ploughing general, and sowing progressing in places; a few cases of cholera reported in two parganas and city; prices slightly risen.
Farukhabad („ 3rd)	Rain throughout district, varying from ·7 to 1·8.	Sky clear since the rain fell; wind continues east; health of people fair.
		General Remarks.—Rain has fallen in all reporting districts except Fyzabad, but the fall has generally been slight, much the heaviest fall was 8·0 in Meerut; ploughing and sowing for the *kharif* continue, but more rain is required in some districts; cholera is reported from five districts; prices are rising in places, but are as a rule stationary.
Punjab—(July 3rd)		
Delhi ...	3·20	Health fair; prices stationary.
Hissar ...	... ..	No report received.
Umballa ...	·30	Health fair; *kharif* ploughing in progress; prices stationary.
Jullundur ...	·40	Health good; prices steady.
Amritsar ...	·40	Health good; slight fall in prices.
Sialkot ...	2·10	Health good; prices steady.
Ferozepore ...	No rain	Health good; *kharif* ploughing in progress; prices fluctuating.
Lahore ...	1·50	Health good; prices steady.
Rawalpindi ...	Nearly ·20	Health good; prices falling.
Mooltan ...	·10	Health good; *kharif* sowings continue; prices fluctuating.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	·70	Health good; *rabi* harvesting nearly completed; prices stationary.
Peshawar ...	·80	Health good; prices stationary.
		General Remarks.—Rain has fallen in nearly every district; health generally good; *rabi* harvesting nearly completed; *kharif* sowings in progress in most districts.
Central Provinces—		
Nagpur (July 4th)	9·39	Weather rainy; cotton sowings progressing; cholera slight; price of *juari* fallen.
Jubbulpore ..	5·44	Weather wet and cold; sowings in progress; small-pox lingering; prices stationary.
Saugor ...	2·87	Weather seasonable; cotton and other sowings general; prices steady; health good.
Seoni (July 3rd)	7·99; heavy showers on 30th June and 1st July.	Sowings progressing; 21 deaths from cholera; price of wheat slightly fallen; prices stationary.
Hoshangabad ...	2·71	Weather rainy and cloudy, occasionally with high winds; small-pox in places; cholera 9 cases; sowings continued; wheat 14 and rice 9 seers per rupee.
Khandwa	4·50	Weather cloudy; sowings nearly completed; 16 deaths from cholera; wheat 16, *juari* 18, and rice 15 seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	7·83	Prospects good; prices stationary.
Sambalpur (June 28th)	7·2	Weather very favourable; sowings continue; sugarcane greatly injured by hot weather; health good; prices rising.
		General Remarks.—Weather very favourable; rain general; sowings continue; cholera severe in Wardha; prices steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
British Burma—(June 27th)		
Akyab ...	13·94	Total up to date 51·11; publichealth good; cattle-disease in four townships, severe in two; health of plough cattle good, except in two townships; ploughing in progress in Myohoung, about 11,000 acres ploughed, no reports from other townships; wages of ploughing labour from 29 to 34 baskets per man per season.
Rangoon ...	3·55	Total up to date 21·55; 2 fatal cases of small-pox, otherwise public health good; prices of paddy from Rs. 88 to Rs. 89 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	2·43	Total up to date 22·53; 1 death from cholera in Laymyethna township, otherwise public health good; 11 deaths of cattle in Laymyethna, 15 in Thaboung, 2 in Yaygyee, and 53 in Kyonepyaw townships; ploughing begun in different parts of district.
Prome ...	3·27	Total up to date 16·27; public health good; cattle-disease in Shwaylay and Mahthanan townships; ploughing has commenced.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	3·85	Total 11·59; public health in Moulmein and district good, cattle-disease slight in Yaylamaing, Amherst, and Martaban townships; severe in Baloogyoon and Halaingbweh townships; about 30 per cent. fields ploughed in Amherst district, about 120 acres ploughed during week in Moulmein; ploughing and sowing progressing in Moulmein; health of plough cattle good; sowing partial in Amherst district.
Toungoo ...	2·15	Total up to date 20·54; 1 death from small-pox in town, otherwise public health good.
		General Remarks. Public health good; rainfall pretty uniform; cattle-disease not on the increase and only sharp in parts of Amherst; price of paddy fairly steady; ploughing general; sowings broadcast and in nurseries here and there.
British Burma—(July 4th)		
Akyab ...	15·13	Total up to date 66·24; 4 deaths from small-pox in Koladan, otherwise public health good; cattle-disease in four townships, severe in two townships; health of plough cattle good, except in two townships; ploughing in progress, about 112,811 acres ploughed in four townships; ploughing wages 15 baskets lowest, 40 baskets highest.
Rangoon ...	3·99	Total up to date 25·51; 1 fatal case of small-pox, otherwise public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 88 to Rs. 90 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	6·76	Total up to date 29·29; 1 death from cholera in town, otherwise public health good; 12 deaths of cattle in Yaygyee and 105 in Kyonepyaw townships; ploughing progressing.
Prome ...	2·17	Total up to date 18·14; public health good; slight cattle-disease in Shwaylay and Mahthanan townships; ploughing operations being carried on all over district.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	13·42	Total up to date 55·01; public health good; cattle-disease slight in Yaylamaing, severe in Amherst and Halaingbweh townships; in Amherst district ploughing progressing, about 35 per cent. fields ploughed; health of plough cattle good; sowings progressing, about 5 per cent. fields sown in Moulmein districts; ploughing and sowing progressing, about 100 acres ploughed during week.
Toungoo ...	3·47	Total up to date 24·01; public health good; 8 deaths of cattle in Tagaya township; ploughing just commenced, about 700 acres ploughed; health of plough cattle good; price of paddy from Rs. 30 to Rs. 65 per 100 baskets.
		General Remarks.—Public health generally satisfactory; cattle-disease unimportant except in parts of Akyab, Pegu, and Amherst districts, where it is severe; ploughing and sowing operations progressing; weather seasonable.
Assam—(July 4th)		
Gauhati ...	·10 for week ending 30th ultimo.	Weather very hot; fever and cattle-disease still prevalent in the interior; river subsiding; reaping of *ahu* paddy commenced; public health indifferent.
Sylhet ...	2·38	Crop prospects improved in tracts flooded lately, elsewhere good.
Cachar ...	1·16	Weather intensely hot; cultivation for *sali* and transplanting *aus* and sowing *asra* crops continue; common rice 16 seers per rupee; small-pox has again disappeared, 4 deaths reported from Katigora and 12 from Lakhimpur.
Dibrugarh ...	1·00	Weather very hot; transplanting of *sali dhan* commenced; cattle-disease reported from North Lakhimpur sub-division; public health improved.
Mysore and Coorg—(July 4th)		
Bangalore ...	·18	Rain much needed throughout the district for agricultural operations; pasturage insufficient in some taluks; standing crops in good condition; public health generally good.
Mysore ...	Slight rain in the taluks.	Standing crops in good condition, but need rain in some parts; prospects and public health good.
Mercara ...	6·66	Vacancies on coffee estates being supplied by seedlings; paddy and *ragi* crops above ground; slight rise in prices of food-grains; public health good.
		General Remarks.—Good rainfall at Shimoga and in the Kadur districts, light rain in other districts; standing crops and public health generally good; prospects favourable; average ruling prices—rice 13, *ragi* 33, and horse-gram 34 seers per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Berar & Hyderabad—(July 4th)		
Amráoti ...	9·35	*Kharif* sowings progressing; wheat 16 and *juari* 16 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	1·26	*Kharif* sowings in progress.
Hyderabad ...	.....	No report received.
Central India States—(July 4th)		
Indore ...	2·61	Weather seasonable; agricultural prospects favourable; prices falling; health good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	·86	Health good; weather cool and cloudy.
Sutna ...	3·36	Rain not yet general; weather warm; health good.
Rutlam ...	.....	No report received.
Neemuch ...	3·53	Weather seasonable; public health good.
Goona ...	3·54	Weather cloudy; health good; wheat 24 seers 8 chittacks per rupee; ploughing commenced.
Sehore ...	.....	No report received.
Agar ...	4·4	Weather seasonable; prospects and health good.
Sehore ...	2·94	Weather cloudy; crops and public health good.
Nowgong ...	2·44	Ploughing and *kharif* sowings commenced; weather seasonable; cholera and small-pox appeared towards north; prices steady.
Bhopawar ...	2·8	Health good; prices stationary; weather rainy; no sun for two days.
Rajputana—		
Abu (July 4th)	8·27	Heavy clouds and high winds during week, apparently regular monsoon has set in.
Sirohi („ 1st)	Occasional rain; 1·06	Fair supply in tanks and wells; health good; sowing for *kharif* begun; weather cloudy at times and oppressively hot.
Marwar (June 29th)	·22	Tanks all empty, water obtained from wells with difficulty; health good; absence of rain retards growth of crops; sky overcast; prices rising.
Meywar (July 1st)	·86	Tanks and wells fair; health very good; crop prospects good.
Harowti (June 30th)	Deoli, 2·31; Tonk, 8·07	Weather cloudy, wind high; health good; prices firm.
Jhallawar („ 29th)	4·37	Locusts still reported in one district; ploughing in progress.
Ajmere (July 3rd)	·62	Weather cloudy; Indian-corn sown; health good.
Jeypore („ „)	1·30	Weather preparing for *rabi* sowings; some cholera cases at capital and districts; prices stationary.
Bhurtpore ...	.....	No report received.
Ulwur (July 3rd)	Average, 1·25	Cholera in four tahsils.
Nepal—(June 28th)		
Katmandu ...	3·90	Prospects good; showery and close weather.

T. W. HOLDERNESS,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, &c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 17th March 1883.

From the 7th April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, and V of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Reports, will be published at Simla. After the 31st March, all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts, should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

Parts IV and V of the *Gazette of India*, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Council, may be subscribed for separately from the other Parts of the Gazette. The annual subscription for the two Parts is R5 per annum, payable in advance. When sent by post, R2-8 per annum additional will be charged for postage.

Complaints regarding non-receipt of any number of the *Gazette* should be forwarded within a week after the day on which it is due.

Applications for the supply of the *Gazette* on the *public service* should be addressed to the Home Department.

By an order of Government, all subscriptions must be paid *in advance*.

	R	a.	p.
Subscription for *Gazette* and Supplement per annum	15	0	0
Postage	5	8	0
Subscription for Supplement only	6	0	0
Postage	3	0	0
For a single copy of the *Gazette*	0	8	0
For a single copy of the Supplement	0	4	0

Postage on single copies varies according to weight.

E. J. DEAN,

Publisher, Gazette of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA—REVENUE BRANCH.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 4th July 1883.

No. 5 R.—Mr. D. A. King, Surveyor, 4th Grade, is allowed privilege leave for three months under the provisions of Chapter X, Section 136 of the Civil Leave Code.

J. SCONCE, *Lieut.-Col.*,

Deputy Surveyor General, in charge Revenue Surveys

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 20th June 1883.

No. 21.—The services of 3rd Grade Assistan Surgeon Brojo Nauth Chowdhry, of the supernu merary list, are placed at the disposal of th Chief Commissioner, Assam.

No. 22.—The services of 3rd Grade Assistan Surgeon Madhu Sudan Moitra, of the supernu merary list, are placed at the disposal of the Agent Governor General, Central India, for employmen in the Charkari State.

A. J. PAYNE, M.D.,

Offg. Surgeon-General with the Govt. of India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 3rd July 1883.

No. 8.—Mr. A. B. Larkins, an Assistant Su perintendent of the 1st Grade, is allowed furlough

for two years, under Section 49 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 22nd of June 1883.

A. J. L. CAPPEL,
Director General of Telegraphs in India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Abu, the 26th June 1883.

No. 2126 *G.*—Second Class Hospital Assistant Rungbeer Nagarcote, of the Reserve List of Hospital Assistants for Native States, is transferred for service in the Native State of Jeypore from the 1st April 1883.

No. 2127 *G.*—First Class Hospital Assistant Habeeboollah Khan returned from leave granted him in this Office Notifications Nos. 2867 G. of the 18th September 1882 and 473 G. of the 21st February 1883, and resumed charge of the Hospital of the Western Rajputana States Agency on the forenoon of the 16th April 1883.

No. 2128 *G.*—Second Class Hospital Assistant Abdool Wahid, lately acting for Habeeboollah Khan, reverted to the Reserve List of Hospital Assistants for Government appointments, on which he remained until the 30th April 1883, after which he was transferred to the Hospital of the North India Salt Revenue at Didwana, assuming charge thereof on the afternoon of the 25th May 1883.

No. 2129 *G.*—Third Class Hospital Assistant Lukbput Roy is transferred from the Hospital of the North India Salt Revenue at Didwana to the Rajputana Dispensary at Sirohi, taking charge of his duties on the afternoon of the 7th June 1883.

No. 2130 *G.*—Third Class Hospital Assistant Guhabar Sing, attached to the Mayo College Hospital at Ajmer, is granted fifteen months' leave without pay according to Section 133 of the Civil Leave Code from the 1st April 1883.

No. 2131 *G.*—First Class Hospital Assistant Muuram Sing, of the Reserve List of Hospital Assistants for Native States, is appointed to act for Guhabar Sing during his absence on leave.

No. 2132 *G.*—First Class Hospital Assistant Kunnea Lall, attached to the Kotah Dispensary, is granted forty-five days' privilege leave from the forenoon of the 7th April 1883. He rejoined on the 21st May 1883.

No. 2133 *G.*—First Class Hospital Assistant Rumzan Ali, of the Baran Dispensary in Kotah, acted during the absence of Kunnea Lal on privilege leave.

No. 2134 *G.*—Second Class Hospital Assistant Polo Ram, of the Banswara Dispensary, is granted privilege leave for three months from the 15th April 1883.

No. 2135 *G.*—Second Class Hospital Assistant Abdool Rahim, of the Reserve List of Hospital Assistants for Native States, is transferred to the Banswara Dispensary, to act for Polo Ram. He took charge on the 28th April 1883.

No. 2149 *G.*—Lieutenant-Colonel G. L. K. Hewett, Commandant, Erinpura Irregular Force, is granted ninety days' privilege leave of absence, from the 15th July 1883 to the 12th October 1883.

The 2nd July 1883.

No. 2212 *G.*—Third Class Hospital Assistant (No. 241) Gopal Dass returned on the afternoon of the 24th June 1883 from the sixty days' privilege leave granted him in this Office Notification No. 1129 G., dated the 9th April 1883.

By Order,
E. A. FRASER,
1st Asst. Agent to the Govr. Genl.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 26th June 1883.

No. 500.—Under Section 27, Act VII of 1870, the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara is pleased to order the publication of the following rules which shall be in force from the 1st July 1883, regarding the stamps to be used to denote the fees chargeable under the said Act :—

I.—When, in the case of fees amounting to less than R10, the amount can be denoted by a single adhesive stamp, such fee shall be denoted by a single adhesive stamp of the required value. But if the amount cannot be denoted by a single adhesive stamp, or if a single adhesive stamp of the required value is not available, the next lower value available shall be used, and the deficiency shall be made up by the use of one or more additional adhesive stamps of the next lower values, which may be required to make up the exact amount of the fee.

II.—When, in the case of fees amounting to or exceeding R10, the amount can be denoted by a single impressed stamp, the fee shall be denoted by a single impressed stamp of the required value. But if the amount cannot be denoted by a single impressed stamp, or if a single impressed stamp of the required value is not available, an impressed stamp of the next lower value shall be used and the deficiency shall be made up by the use of one or more additional impressed stamps of the next lower values available which may be required to make up the exact amount of the fee, in combination with adhesive stamps to make up fractions of less than R10.

III.—Any adhesive stamps which may be used under Rule II, shall be affixed to the impressed stamp of the highest value employed in denoting the fee.

IV.—When two or more impressed stamps are used to make up the amount of the fee chargeable under the Court Fees Act, a portion of the subject-matter shall be written on each impressed stamp so used, and the writing on each stamp shall be attested by the signature of the person or persons executing the document.

V.—When one or more impressed stamps used to denote a fee are found insufficient to admit of the entire document being written on the side of the paper which bears the stamps, so much plain paper may be joined thereto as may be necessary for the complete writing of the document; and the writing on the impressed stamps and on the plain paper shall be attested by the signature of the person or persons executing the document. No part of the document is in any case to be written on the back of any impressed stamp paper or paper joined thereto.

VI.—In the new adhesive stamps a blank space has been left in which the stamp-vendor must enter under his own signature the name of the purchaser and the date of sale.

By Order,

E. A. FRASER,
1st Asst. to the Chief Commr.

RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Bangalore, the 25th June 1883.

No. 10.—Mr. A. B. Bride, Sub-Registrar, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, is granted one month and twenty-seven days' privilege leave on medical certificate from 21st May 1883.

2. Chinnathumbi Moodaliar, Registration Head Clerk of the Bangalore District Registry Office, is appointed to act during the absence of Mr. Bride, or until further orders.

The 27th June 1883.

No. 11.—Under the provisions of Section 3 of the Bangalore Municipal Regulations of 1883, the Officiating Resident is pleased to re-appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Municipal Commissioners for the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and to serve for the divisions noted opposite their names, for three years from the 21st June 1883:—

Mr. R. P. Campbell,—No. I, Ulsoor Division.

Mr. V. Sadisiva Mudaliar,—No. I, Ulsoor Division.

Mr. V. Vasudeva Mudaliar,—No. II, Shulé Division.

Mr. Abdul Husain Sahib,—No. III, Arab Lines Division.

Mr. Abdul Koodoos Sahib,—No. IV, General Bazar Division.

By Order,

H. WYLIE, *Major,*
Assistant to the Resident.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 26th June 1883.

No. 22.—Lieutenant H. F. Chesney, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, passed the examination prescribed in Public Works Department Code, Chapter II, paragraphs 16 and 17, on the 19th June 1883.

The 27th June 1883.

No. 23.—With reference to Military Department Notification No. 366, dated 22nd June 1883, Lieutenant F. H. Oldfield, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Presidency-Oudh Command, Military Works.

J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned Students have been declared entitled to Maharaja Sir Joteendromohan Tagore's Medals for the year 1883 on the result of the Examination held by the Tagore Law Professor on the subject of his lectures:—

Pareschandra Banerjee, Gold Medal; City College.

Manmathanath Bhattacharyya, Silver Medal; City College.

G. BELLETT,
Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th April 1883.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION.

The half-yearly examination of candidates for promotion and employment in the Public Works Department will be held at the Government Engineering College, Howrah, at 10 o'clock, on Monday, the 6th August 1883, and the following days. Applications, with fees for admission to the examination, are required to be filed before the 15th of July 1883. Candidates for the grade of Accountant who are not in Government service should be under twenty-five years of age, and must prove to the satisfaction of the Principal that they are under that age.

The following are the centres of examination sanctioned by the Government of India as stations where candidates for fourth grade Accountantships are to appear for examination:—

Ajmere, Allahabad, Durbhanga, Ghadechi, Howrah, Indore, Lahore, Lucknow, Mount Aboo, Nagpore, Poona, Rangoon, Rawalpindi, Saidpore, Secunderabad, Shillong, Simla, and Sukkur.

Candidates for the Accountant's examination are therefore requested to select one of the places mentioned above.

S. F. DOWNING,
Principal, Govt. Engrg. College, Howrah.

SHIBPORE,
The 20th June 1883.

COMPTROLLER

No. 871.—*Account of Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the tenth*

N. B.—Amounts are converted into

	REVENUE.	Estimates, 1882-83.	April to January 1882.	April to January 1883.	COMPARISON OF TWO YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
		£	£	£	£	£
I	Land Revenue*	22,172,000	16,289,573	16,003,351	...	286,222
II	Opium	9,500,000	8,395,148	7,788,401	...	606,747
III	Salt	6,049,000	6,039,597	5,015,264	...	1,024,333
IV	Stamps	3,342,000	2,761,906	2,779,391	17,485	...
V	Excise	3,331,000	2,796,452	2,944,398	147,946	...
VI	Provincial Rates	2,649,000	2,375,048	2,141,861	...	233,187
VII	Customs	1,181,000	1,870,542	907,122	...	963,420
VIII	Assessed Taxes	538,000	512,072	494,014	...	18,058
IX	Forest	806,900	482,608	532,032	49,424	...
X	Registration	284,000	233,323	237,447	4,124	...
XI	Tributes from Native States	701,000	353,922	352,515	...	1,407
XII	Post Office	967,000	795,059	812,084	17,025	...
XIII	Telegraph	493,700	349,006	383,527	34,521	...
XIV	Mint	145,000	20,894	124,036	103,142	...
XV	Law and Justice	659,000	507,535	519,922	12,387	...
XVI	Police	248,000	196,179	179,597	...	16,582
XVII	Marine	183,000	165,250	156,327	...	8,923
XVIII	Education	177,000	148,573	158,060	9,487	...
XIX	Medical	39,000	29,450	34,215	4,765	...
XX	Scientific and other Minor Departments.	65,500	50,602	54,093	3,491	...
XXI	Interest	647,000	635,963	500,180	...	135,783
XXII	Receipts in aid of Superannuations, &c.	206,800	127,192	122,579	...	4,613
XXIII	Stationery and Printing	59,000	39,700	41,385	1,685	..
XXIV	Miscellaneous	262,000	252,580	200,950	...	51,630
		54,705,900	45,428,174	42,482,751	...	2,945,423
	Productive Public Works.					
XXV	State Railways (Gross Earnings)	2,775,800	1,923,485	2,181,371	257,886	...
XXVI	Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Net Traffic Receipts).	3,473,000	3,350,401	3,487,147	136,746	...
XXVII	East Indian Railway (Net Traffic Receipts).	2,660,000	2,708,756	2,265,280	...	443,476
XXVIII	Irrigation and Navigation (direct Receipts).	843,800	557,791	721,445	163,654	...
XXIX	Madras Irrigation and Canal Company (Net Traffic Receipts).	—*15,000*				
	Unproductive Public Works.					
XXXI	State Railways	...	...	...	...	...
XXXII	Subsidized Railways	...	...	...	...	...
XXXIII	Irrigation and Navigation	133,000	24,990	107,684	82,694	...
XXXIV	Military Works	469,000	408,154	383,234	...	24,920
XXXV	Civil Buildings, Roads and Services					
XXXVI	Army	813,500	841,258	749,288	...	91,970
XXXVII	Military Operations in Afghanistan	...	315,632	1,380	...	314,252
	Do. do. in Egypt	...	...	26,872	26,872	...
		65,859,000	55,558,641	52,406,452	...	3,152,189
	England, including Army, Public Works, &c.	219,000	2,581,071	233,406	...	2,347,665
	GRAND TOTAL	66,078,000	58,139,712	52,639,858	...	5,499,854

* Includes Land Revenue [illegible]

GENERAL'S OFFICE.

month of the year 1882-83, as compared with the corresponding period of 1881-82.

sterling at R10 to the pound sterling.

	EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1882-83.	April to January 1882.	April to January 1883.	COMPARISON OF TWO YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
		£	£	£	£	£
1	Interest on Ordinary Debt†	3,609,300	2,816,866	3,034,466	217,600	...
2	Do. on Deposits	457,200	338,891	290,067	...	48,824
3	Refunds and Drawbacks	511,000	329,461	332,789	3,328	...
4	Assignments and Compensations	1,233,100	573,957	606,955	32,998	...
5	Land Revenue	3,167,000	2,368,834	2,404,950	36,116	...
6	Opium (including cost of production)	2,219,900	1,918,955	2,211,026	292,071	...
7	Salt (do. do.)	639,000	377,018	371,948	...	5,070
8	Stamps	80,000	64,157	64,824	667	...
9	Excise	99,000	79,523	79,732	209	...
10	Provincial Rates	49,000	12,821	43,685	864	...
11	Customs	163,000	161,447	131,719	...	29,728
12	Assessed Taxes	15,000	11,622	11,164	...	458
13	Forests	575,800	353,858	343,725	...	10,133
14	Registration	186,000	145,961	151,470	5,509	...
15	Post Office	1,069,400	868,022	900,219	32,197	...
16	Telegraph	514,900	339,897	382,059	42,162	...
17	Mint	104,400	60,648	71,464	10,816	...
18	General Administration	1,286,300	1,018,070	1,066,274	48,204	...
19	Law and Justice	3,345,700	2,614,145	2,650,252	36,107	...
20	Police	2,635,000	2,047,229	2,106,339	59,110	...
21	Marine (including river Navigation)	376,300	312,333	288,502	...	23,831
22	Education	1,148,600	856,062	907,027	50,965	...
23	Ecclesiastical	162,000	133,040	133,852	812	...
24	Medical	695,500	536,262	552,944	16,682	...
25	Political	492,700	483,077	394,038	...	89,039
26	Scientific and other Minor Departments	420,800	437,701	347,066	...	90,635
27	Territorial and Political Pensions	640,800	552,906	549,042	...	3,864
28	Civil Furlough and Absentee Allowances	4,000	3,582	894	...	2,688
29	Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	741,000	609,466	673,866	64,400	...
30	Stationery and Printing	309,000	350,500	276,996	...	73,504
31	Miscellaneous	253,000	208,893	187,975	...	20,918
32	Famine Relief	...	1,411	94,263	92,852	...
33	Protective Works—Railways	422,500	194,576	271,357	76,781	...
34	Do. do. Irrigation	327,500	70,544	172,900	102,356	...
35	Reduction of Debt	750,000	...	...	...	...
51	Exchange on transactions with London	2,775,000	2,834,876	2,383,032	...	151,844
	Productive Public Works.	31,508,700	24,116,611	24,488,881	372,270	...
36	State Railways (Working and Maintenance)	1,741,000	1,399,030	1,372,869	...	26,161
37	Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Interest and Profits)	547,000	410,165	574,868	164,703	...
38	East Indian Railway (Interest and Profits)	214,700	198,164	247,154	48,990	...
39	Irrigation and Navigation (Working and Maintenance)	503,000	464,115	384,498	...	79,617
40	Madras Irrigation & Canal Co. (Interest, &c.)	—200				
	Unproductive Public Works.					
42	State Railways (Capital Account)	592,000	213,662	286,316	72,654	...
43	Do. (Working and Maintenance)	...	...	...	...	...
44	Subsidized Railways	33,500	...	19,560	19,560	...
	Southern Maratha Railway	...	..	32,950	32,950	...
45	Frontier Railways	120,000	225,080	175,235	400,315	...
46	Irrigation and Navigation	973,800	316,875	566,169	249,294	...
47	Military Works	5,280,300	2,941,740	3,679,795	738,055	...
48	Civil Buildings, Roads and Services					
49	Army	12,103,000	10,760,245	10,002,072	...	758,173
50	Military Operations in Afghanistan	...	1,973,984	16,211	...	1,957,773
	Do. do. in Egypt	..	...	1,213,152	1,213,152	...
		53,616,800	42,569,511	43,060,030	490,519	...
	England, including Army, P.W. Guaranteed Interest, &c.	14,166,200	12,536,392	12,269,922	...	275,470
	Productive Public Works—Capital Expenditure.	67,783,000	55,105,903	55,329,952	215,049	...
	In India—					
52	State Railways	1,318,000	918,159	799,248	...	118,911
53	East Indian Railway	485,000	435,234	119,147	...	316,087
54	Irrigation and Navigation	897,000	394,018	363,052	...	30,966
55	Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	58,164	...	...	58,164
	In England—					
	State Railways	550,000	283,952	291,294	7,342	...
	Madras Irrigation and Canal Co.'s Undertaking	...	...	1,751,897	1,751,897	...
	East Indian Railway	...	188,050	337,630	...	150,420
		3,250,000	2,577,577	3,662,268	1,084,691	...
	GRAND TOTAL	71,033,000	57,683,480	58,983,220	1,299,740	...

† Includes Interest on Debt incurred for Productive Public Works which cannot be separated in the Monthly Accounts.

[illegible] Provincial have been treated as entirely

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th June 1883.

PARTICULARS.	3½ PER CENT. TRANSFER LOAN OF 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS								4½ PER CENT. LOANS				TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879, SEVEN SHILLINGS PER CENT. PORTION.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1867-68.	5 PER CENT. LOAN OF 1856-57.	GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1879.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1881.	TOTAL.	Of 1870.	Of 1878.	TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879, 4½ PER CENT. PORTION.	TOTAL.				
Balance of 15th June 1883	54,100	13,02,720	30,09,100	2,45,92,900	1,04,30,600	2,70,65,637	2,74,83,100	...	9,38,84,057	48,62,100	1,06,31,800	10,16,61,700	11,71,55,600	1,26,500	2,000	60,200	21,12,82,457
Add—																	
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 30th June 1883	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 30th June 1883	...	...	...	5,500	2,000	8,000	1,000	...	16,500	...	2,000	72,000	74,000	...	...	...	90,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th June 1883	...	...	...	12,400	...	5,12,000	3,500	...	5,27,900	...	1,56,000	70,000	2,26,000	...	...	...	7,53,900
	54,100	13,02,720	30,09,100	2,46,10,800	1,04,32,600	2,75,85,637	2,74,87,600	...	9,44,28,457	48,62,100	1,07,89,800	10,18,03,700	11,74,55,600	1,26,500	2,000	60,200	21,21,26,857
Deduct—																	
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	32,600	3,60,500	23,800	12,92,500	3,43,000	...	20,52,400	...	32,000	6,09,500	6,41,500	...	...	...	26,93,900
Balance on 30th June 1883	54,100	13,02,720	29,76,500	2,42,50,500	1,04,08,800	2,62,93,137	2,71,44,600	..	9,23,76,057	48,62,100	1,07,57,800	10,11,94,200	11,68,14,100	1,26,500	2,000	60,200	20,94,32,957

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th April 1883, enfaced from India 4,771 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 3,988 lakhs.

„ 1st May 1883 to 15th May	„	„	„	7 „	„	„	4 „
„ 16th „ „ to 31st	„	„	„	3 „	„	„	14 „
„ 1st June „ to 15th June	„	„	„	3 „	„	„	20 „
„ 16th „ „ to 30th	„	„	„	8 „	„	„	26 „
				4,792 lakhs.			4,052 lakhs.
				4,052 „			
Balance against India				740 lakhs.			

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, the 4th July 1883.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued on General Treasury.	Certificates issued on Currency Department.	Balance of Bullion Under Assay.	Balance of Bullion Assayed.	Balance of Bullion Held on account of the Currency Department.
1883.	R	R	R	R	R	R
June 25	...	...	...	3,12,578	21,73,145	8,89,874
,, 26	...	...	...	3,12,578	21,76,695	8,89,874
,, 27	...	...	1,13,720	2,35,926	22,92,864	10,06,013
,, 28	...	...	...	2,35,926	22,92,864	10,06,013
,, 29	...	...	2,50,305	312	25,18,538	12,61,718
,, 30	...	...	...	312	25,18,538	12,61,718

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 2nd July 1883.

J. F. TENNANT, *Major-Genl., R.E.,*
Mint Master.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
85	P 9—26926	50	Babu Bepin Behari Dutt.

J. TAYLOR,
Asstt. Comptlr. Genl., in charge, Paper Currency.

CALCUTTA,
The 6th July 1883.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant
		R	
5	E 19—45872	50	W. Lawrence, Esq., Saharunpur.

LAHORE,
The 29th June 1883.

H. J. BRERETON,
for *Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.*

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
15	B 65—73737	50	Tholasee Doss Narainjee Sett, Calicut
	,, —88678	50	
	B 73—51421	100	
	,, —71438	100	

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
The 25th June 1883.

G. W. CLINE, LL.D.,
Assistant Accountant General, in charge of Paper Currency Dept.,
for *Commissioner.*

BRITISH GUIANA EMIGRATION AGENCY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 12th June 1883.

Notice is hereby given that there is lying at the above Agency a list of the unclaimed balances of the estates of Indian emigrants who have died intestate in the Colony of British Guiana (Demerara) amounting, in the whole, to the sum of $14,827-21c., equal to R37,537-3-10. This list can be inspected at any time during office hours by any person who may be interested in the same.

HENRY KIRKE,
Offg. Emigration Agent for the Govt. of B. Guiana.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on 5th July 1883.

Alexander, Miss E. R. Alexander, W. Lawrie, A. B.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

A. Q. R.
Barrett, A. C.
Bienne, George.
Blackman, Russell.
Bradley, P. W.
Bradshaw, D. E.
Brown, E.
Browne, B.
Buckle, Henry.
Burlington, Charles.
C. P.
Camao, Madame A.
Cannell, Minard A.
"Chapetone."
Clayburn, William.
Cohen, Capin. J. L.
Connolly, Mrs.
Cotton, P.
Crowether, John.
D'Cruz, Mrs. Bella.
D'Etcmoo, P. W.
deLa Cerniave, F. E. W.
Dick, Arthur.
Donovan, John.
"Felis."
Fletcher, John.
Francis, G.
Fraser, William Stirton.
Field, Miss Fanny.
Gerber, Miss.
Greenberg, Rose.
Grove, H. F.
Halliwell, J. A.
Haly, J. J.
Hay, Arthur.
Hawkins, Geo.
Hankivez, Madame.
Harris, Lord.
Heller, Miss.
Henry, James.
Hillary, W.
Hood, P. J.
Horridge, Charles.
Hunter, H. C. D.
Hutchinson, Miss Florence.
Jones, H.
Kelly, Mrs. F.
Kavanagh, P.
L. S.
Lewis, Mrs. R. B.
Lewis, S.
Macleo, Rafaello.
Maycock, A. H.
McClure, A.
McCorry, E.
McManus, J.
Moore, Miss Claude.
Moore, William.
Neville, H.
O'Donel, —.
Onesti, Cresio.
Perrins, C. H.
Pethard, John.
Pinlott, James Thomas.
Pine, Arol.
Porter, S. T.
Rostam, J. B.
Ross, J.
Sanford, E. C. Ayshford.
Simpson, A. B. A.
Shaw, Lt. D. G. L.
Stewart, Duncan.
Tucker, Mrs.
White, Mrs. S.
Williams, John.
Williamson, W. F.
Windemar, Mrs.
Winloch, Lord.

Registered Letters.

Angelo, Col. R. F.
Blin, T. A.
Browne, David.
Deveria & Co., Powell.
Hankivez, Monsieur Charles.
Misleah, F.
Munzies, Charles.
Nardini, Sig. Raffaele.
Weben, Madame Martha.

Calcutta, the 7th July 1883.

SEA AND FOREIGN MAILS.

Foreign Mails for	Date.	Per Steamer
	1883	
Persian Gulf	13th July	From Bombay.
Madras, Ceylon, and Intermediate Ports	12th ,,	Str. *Bradford.*
Madras and Ceylon	12th ,,	P. & O. Str. *Nizam.*
Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Yokohama, and Australian Colonies	10th ,,	From Bombay.
Foreign Mails *via* Bombay	7th ,,	From Bombay.*
Foreign Mails *via* Bombay	11th ,,	From Bombay.*
Do. Book Post and Pattern Packets	11th ,,	From Bombay.
Rangoon, Moulmein and Straits	11th ,,	Str. *Pembo* †
Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon	11th ,,	Str. *Comodlla.*
Madras, Ceylon, Batavia, Singapore, and China	16th ,,	French Str. *Tha.*
Straits and Hong-Kong	18th ,,	Strs *Japan* and *Leander*

* Also for South Africa *viâ* England can be forwarded.
† Also for Port Blair can be sent by this opportunity.
N.B.—The letter-box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour, foreign letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M.

E. HUTTON,
Presidency Post Master.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

This preparation is an efficient substitute for Quinine and can be purchased by Government officers for public and charitable purposes, and by any one taking *twenty pounds* at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Calcutta, *for cash only*, at the following rates:—per four ounce tin *R4-8*; per eight ounce tin, *R8-8*; per pound tin, *R16-8*. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, *for cash only*, at the under-noted rates:—per four ounce tin *R5-8*; per eight ounce tin *R10-8*; per pound tin, *R20*. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggist in Calcutta. Postage 8 annas per four and eight ounce tins, and 12 annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

گورنمنٹ سنکونا فبري فيوج

يهه دوا كوئينائين كا خوب قائم مقام هى اور كلكته كے بوٹانكل گارڈن يعنے كمپني باغ كے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے هرايك ملازم سركاري واسطے سركاري كام اور خيرات كے اور سيواے اونكے جو كوئي ايك مشت بيس پونڈ خريد لينے سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد كرسكتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس كے ٹين كا چار روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس كے ٹين كا آٹهه روپيه آٹهه آنه; يك پونڈ كے ٹين كا سوله روپيه آٹهه آنه'

اور عوام‌الناس بوٹانكل گارڈن يعنے كمپني با كے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد كرسكتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس ٹين كا پانچ روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس كے ٹين كا دس روپيه آٹهه آنه ; ايك پونڈ كے ٹين كا بيس روپيه

يهه دوا كلكته كے بڑے بڑے ولايتي اور ديسي دوا خانونمين ٹكتي هى ماسيواے قيمت مذكورۂ بالا كے محصول ڈاك چار اور آٹهه اونس كے ٹين كا آٹهه آنه ; اور ايك پونڈ كے ٹين كا باره آنه

Meteorological Publications for Sale.

The following publications of the Meteorological Office of the Government of India are on sale and can be procured at the Meteorological Office, No. 4, Middleton Row, or either at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., or at Messrs. Brown & Co., at the prices noted against them:—

	R	a.	p.
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1875, 4to, 89 pages text, 297 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1876, 4to, 97 pages text, 340 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1877, 4to, 173 pages text, 375 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1878, 4to, 149 pages text, 380 pages tables, 3 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1879, 4to, 164 pages text, 273 pages tables, 4 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1880, 4to, 174 pages text, 286 pages tables, 6 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part I, 4to, 118 pages, 9 plates	2	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part II, 4to, 63 pages, 4 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part III, 4to, 86 pages, 2 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part IV, 4to, 62 pages, 8 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part V, 4to, 57 pages, 10 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part VI, 4to, 62 pages	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, cloth bound, 4to, 438 pages, 33 plates	10	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. II, Part I, 4to, 78 pages, 9 plates	1	8	0
Rainfall Chart of India, showing the average annual distribution of rainfall (in colors)	1	0	0
Report on the Vizagapatam and Backergunge Cyclones, October 1876, 4to, 87 pages, 4 plates	2	0	0
Report on the Madras Cyclone, May 1877, 4to, 117 pages text, 97 pages tables, 4 plates	2	8	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1879, corrected and reduced	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1880, corrected and reduced	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1881, corrected and reduced	2	0	0

HENRY F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

THE INDIAN LAW REPORTS.

PUBLISHED UNDER AUTHORITY.

The "Indian Law Reports," published under the authority of the Governor General in Council, will appear in monthly parts, published as soon as possible after the first of each month at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, and Allahabad, and will comprise four series,—one for the Calcutta High Court, a second for the Madras High Court, a third for the Bombay High Court, and a fourth for the Allahabad High Court. The cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from each High Court will be reported in the Series for that High Court. Cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from Provinces in India not subject to any High Court will be reported in the Calcutta Series. The Parts of each Series can be had separately, or all four Parts can be had stitched into one wrapper at the option of subscribers and purchasers. It will be observed from the following statement of the terms of subscription and sale, that a considerable reduction is allowed to persons taking the complete set:

Terms of subscription, payable annually in advance.

	Without Postage.	With Postage.
For the CALCUTTA SERIES	R35	R37-8
" MADRAS SERIES	" 8	" 9
" BOMBAY SERIES	" 8	" 9
" ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 8	" 9
Complete set	" 45	" 47-8

The price of each Part purchased separately will vary according to the amount of matter it contains, and will be printed on the wrapper. It will, however, never be below the following:—

For a Part of the CALCUTTA SERIES	R3	8
" " MADRAS SERIES	" 1	0
" " BOMBAY SERIES	" 1	0
" " ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 1	0
Complete set	" 4	0

Persons desiring to subscribe for or purchase the Reports, should apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND CO., CALCUTTA;
MESSRS. THACKER AND CO., BOMBAY;
MESSRS. HIGGINBOTHAM AND CO., MADRAS;
THE GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BOMBAY;
THE GOVERNMENT BOOK DEPOT, ALLAHABAD.

Orders and Subscriptions for 1878 should be at once remitted.

THE BENGAL LAW REPORTS.

A few sets of the Bengal Law Reports (Volumes 1 to 15) are available at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta, at R575 a set.

List of Books for sale at the Library of the Asiatic Society of Bengal,

No. 57, PARK STREET, CALCUTTA.

AND OBTAINABLE FROM THE SOCIETY'S LONDON AGENTS, MESSRS. TRÜBNER & CO., 57 AND 59, LUDGATE HILL, LONDON, E. C.

BIBLIOTHECA INDICA.

SANSKRIT SERIES.

New publication.

	R	a.
Susruta Samhita, (Eng.) fasci. I	1	0
1. Átharvaṇa Upanishads, (Sans.) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2
2. Ás'valáyana Gṛihya Sútra, (Sans.) fasci. I—IV, at annas 10 each	2	8
3. Agni Puráṇa, (Sans.) fasci. I—XIV, at annas 10 each	8	12
4. Aitareya Araṇyaka of the Rig Veda, (Sans.) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2
5. Aphorisms of S'áṇḍilya, (Eng.) fasci. I	0	10
6. Aphorisms of the Vedánta, (Sans.) fasci. III—XIII, at annas 10 each	6	14
7. Brahma Sútras, (Eng.) fasci. I	1	0
8. Bhámatí, (Sans.) fasci. I—VIII, at annas 10 each	5	0
9. Bṛihat Áraṇyaka Upanishad, (Sans.) fasci. II—IV, VI—IX, at annas 10 each	4	6
10. Bṛihat Araṇyaka Upanishad, (Eng.) fasci. II—III, at annas 10 each	1	4
11. Bṛihat Samhitá, (Sans.) fasci. I—III, V—VII, at annas 10 each	3	12
12. Chaitanya-Chandrodaya Náṭaka, (Sans.) fasci. II—III, at annas 10 each	1	4
13. Chaturvarga Chintámani, (Sans.) fasci. I—XL, at annas 10 each	25	0
14. Chhándogya Upanishad, (Eng.) fasci. II	0	10
15. Categories of the Nyáya Philosophy, (Sans.) fasci. II	0	10
16. Das'a Rúpa, (Sans.) fasci. I—III, at annas 10 each	1	14
17. Gopatha Bráhmaṇa, (Sans. and Eng.) fasci. I & II, at annas 10 each	1	4
18. Gopála Tápaní, (Sans.) fasci. I	0	10
19. Gobhilíya Gṛihya Sútra, (Sans.) fasci. I—XII, at annas 10 each	7	8
20. Hindu Astronomy, (Eng.) fasci. I—III, at 10 annas each	1	14
21. Is'á Kena Kaṭha Pras'na Muṇḍa Máṇḍukya Upanishads, (Sans.) fasci. VI	0	10
22. Kátantra, (Sans.) fasci. I—VI, at rupee 1 each	6	0
23. Kathá Sarit Ságara, (Eng.) fasci. I—X, at rupee 1 each	10	0
24. Lalita Vistara, (Sans.) fasci. I—VI, at annas 10 each	3	12
25. Lalita Vistara, (Eng.) fasci. I—II	2	0
26. Maitri Upanishad, (Sans. and Eng.) fasci. I—III, in one volume	1	14
27. Mímámsá Darṣana, (Sans.) fasci. II—XVI, at annas 10 each	9	6
28. Markaṇḍeya Puráṇa, (Sans.) fasci. IV—VII, at annas 10 each	2	8
29. Nṛisimha Tápaní, (Sans.) fasci. I—III, at annas 10 each	1	14
30. Nirukta, (Sans.) fasci. I—VI, at annas 10 each	3	12
31. Nárada Pancharátra, (Sans.) fasci. III—IV, at annas 10 each	1	4
32. Nyáya Darṣana, (Sans.) fasci I & III, at annas 10 each	1	4
33. Nítisára or The Elements of Polity, by Kámandaki, (Sans.) fasci. II—IV	1	14
34. Piṅgala Chhandaḥ Sútra, (Sans.) fasci. I—III, at annas 10 each	1	14
35. Prithiráj Rásau, (Sans.) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2
36. Prithiráj Rásau, (Eng.) fasci. I	1	0
37. Páli Grammar, (Eng.) fasci. I & II, at annas 10 each	1	4
38. Prákṛita Lakshaṇam, (Sans.) fasci. I	1	8
39. Parásara Smṛiti, (Sans.) fasci. I	0	10
40. Rig Veda, (Sans.) Vol. I, fasci. IV.	0	10
41. S'rauta Sútra of Apastamba, (Sans) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2
42. S'rauta Sútra of A's'valáyana, (Sans.) fasci. I—XI, at annas 10 each	6	14
43. S'rauta Sútra of Láṭyáyana, (Sans.) fasci. I—IX, at annas 10 each	5	10
44. Sáma Veda Samhitá, (Sans.) fasci. I—XXXVII, at annas 10 each	23	2
45. Sáhitya Darpaṇa, (Eng.) fasci. I—IV, at annas 10 each	2	8
46. Sáṅkhya Aphorisms of Kapila, (Eng.) fasci. I & II, at annas 10 each	1	4
47. Súrya Siddhánta, (Sans.) fasci. IV	0	10
48. Sarva Darṣana Sangraha, (Sans.) fasci. II	0	10
49. Saṅkara Vijaya, (Sans.) fasci. II & III, at annas 10 each	1	4
50. Sáṅkhya Pravachana Bháshya, English, fasci. III	0	10
51. Sáṅkhya Sára, (Sans.) fasci. I	0	10
52. Susruta Samhita, (Eng.) fasci. I	1	0
53. Taittiríya Araṇyaka, (Sans.) fasci. I—XI, at annas 10 each	6	14
54. Taittiríya Bráhmaṇa, (Sans.) fasci. I—XXIV, at annas 10 each	15	0
55. Taittiríya Samhitá, (Sans.) fasci. I—XXXII, at annas 10 each	20	0
56. Taittiríya Prátis'ákhya, (Sans.) fasci. I—III, at annas 10 each	1	14
57. Taittiríya and Aitareya Upanishads, (Sans.) fasci. II & III, at annas 10 each	1	4
58. Taittiríya Aitareya S'vetás'vatara Kena Is'á Upanishads, (Eng.) fasci. I & II, at annas 10 each	1	4
59. Táṇḍyá Bráhmaṇa, (Sans.) fasci. I—XIX, at annas 10 each	11	14
60. Uttara Naishadha, (Sans.) fasci. II—XII, at annas 10 each	6	14
61. Váyu Puráṇa, (Sans.) Vol. I, fasci. I—VI, Vol. II, fasci. I—III, at annas 10 each	5	10
62. Vishṇu Smṛiti, (Sans.) fasci. I—II, at annas 10 each	1	4
63. Yoga Sútra of Patanjali, (Sans. and Eng.) fasci. I—V, at annas 14 each	1	6

Arabic & Persian Series.

1. 'Álamgírnámah, with Index, (text) fasci. I—XIII, at annas 10 each	8	2
2 Aín-i-Akbarí, (text), fasci. I—XXII, at rupee 1-4 each	27	8
3. Áín-i-Akbarí, English, Vol. I (fasci. I—VII)	12	4
4. Akbarnámah, with Index, (text) fasci. I—XXII, at rupee 1-4 each.	27	8
5. Bádsháhnámah, with Index, (text) fasci. I—XIX, at annas 10 each	11	14

	R	a.
6. Beale's Oriental Biographical Dictionary, pp. 291, 4to, thick paper, at rupees 4-12; thin paper	4	8
7. Dictionary of Arabic Technical Terms and Appendix, fasci. I—XXI, at rupee 1-4 each	26	4
8. Farhang-i-Rashidí, (text) fasci. I—XIV, at rupee 1-4 each	17	8
9. Fihrist-i-Ṭúsí or Ṭúsy's list of Shy'ah Books, (text) fasci. I—IV, at annas 12 each	3	0
10. Futúḥ-ul-Shám Wáqidí, (text) fasci. I—IX, at annas 10 each	5	10
11. Futúḥ-ul-Shám Ázádí, (text) fasci. I—IV, at annas 10 each	2	8
12. Haft Asmán, History of the Persian Masnawi, (text) fasci. I	1	4
13. History of the Caliphs, English, fasci. I—VI, at rupee 1 each	6	0
14. Iqbálnámah-i-Jahángírí, (text) fasci. I—III, at annas 10 each	1	14
15. Iṣabáh, with Supplement, (text) fasci. I—XXXI, at annas 12 each	23	4
16. Maghází [of Wáqídí, (text) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2
17. Muntakhab-ul-Tawáríkh, (text) fasci. I—XV, at annas 10 each	9	6
18. Muntakhab-ul-Lubáb, (text) fasci. I—XVIII, at annas 10 each, and fasci. XIX with Index, at annas 12	12	0
19. Mu ásir-i-'Alamgírí, (text) fasci. I—VI, at annas 10 each	3	12
20. Nukhbat-ul-Fikr, (text) fasci. I	0	10
21. Nizámí's Khiradnámah-i-Iskandarí, (text) fasci. I & II, at rupee 1 each	2	0
22. Suyúty's Itqán, on the Exegetic Sciences of the Koran, with Supplement, (text) fasci. II—IV, VII—X, at rupee 1-4 each	8	12
23. Ṭabaqát-i-Náṣirí, (text) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2
24. Ṭabaqát-i-Naṣirí, English, fasci. I—XIV, at rupee 1 each	14	0
25. Táríkh-i-Fírúz Sháhi, (text) fasci. I—VII, at annas 10 each	4	6
26. Táríkh-i-Baihaqí, (text) fasci. I—IX, at annas 10 each	5	10
27. Wís o Rámín, (text) fasci. I—V, at annas 10 each	3	2

ASIATIC SOCIETY'S PUBLICATIONS.

	R	a.
1. ASIATIC RESEARCHES, Vols. VII—XI; Vols. XIII and XVII, and Vols. XIX and XX, at rupees 10 each	90	0
ASIATIC RESEARCHES, Index to Vols. I—XVIII	5	0
2. PROCEEDINGS of the Asiatic Society from 1865 to 1869 (incl.) at annas 4 per No.; and from 1870 to date, at annas 8 per No.		
3. JOURNAL of the Asiatic Society for 1843 (12), 1844 (12), 1845 (12), 1846 (5), 1847 (12), 1848 (12), 1849 (12), 1850 (7), at rupee 1 per No. to Subscribers, and at rupee 1-8 per No. to Non-Subscribers; and for 1851 (7), 1857 (6), 1858 (5), 1861 (4), 1864 (5), 1865 (8), 1866 (7), 1867 (6), 1868 (6), 1869 (8), 1870 (8), 1871 (7), 1872 (8), 1873 (8), 1874 (8), 1875 (7), 1876 (7), 1877 (8), 1878 (8), 1879 (7), 1880 (8), 1881, (7), 1882 (6), at rupee 1-8 per No. to Subscribers, and at rupees 2 per No. to Non-Subscribers.		
N.B.—The figures enclosed in brackets give the number of Nos. in each Volume.		
General Cunningham's Archæological Survey Report for 1863-64 (Extra No., J. A. S. B., 1864)	2	0
Theobald's Catalogue of Reptiles in the Museum of the Asiatic Society (Extra No., J. A. S. B., 1868)	2	0
Catalogue of Mammals and Birds of Burmah, by E. Blyth (Extra No., J. A. S. B., 1875)	4	0
Sketch of the Turki Language as spoken in Eastern Turkestan, Part II, Vocabulary, by R. B. Shaw (Extra No., J. A. S. B., 1878)	4	0
A Grammar and Vocabulary of the Northern Balochí Language, by M. L. Dames (Extra No., J. A. S. B., 1880)	4	0
Introduction to the Maithili Language of North Bihar, by G. A. Grierson, Part I, Grammar (Extra No., J. A. S. B., 1880) Rs. 2-0; Part II, Chrestomathy and Vocabulary (Extra No., J. A. S. B. 1882)	4	0
4. Aborigines of India, by B. H. Hodgson	3	0
5. Anis-ul-Musharrihin	3	0
6. Catalogue of Fossil Vertebrata	2	0
7. Catalogue of Arabic and Persian Manuscripts	1	0
8. Examination and Analysis of the Mackenzie Manuscripts, by the Revd. W. Taylor	2	0
9. Han Koong Tsew, or the Sorrows of Han, by J. Francis Davis	1	8
10. Iṣṭilāhát-uṣ-Súfíyah, edited by Dr. A. Sprenger, 8vo.	1	0
11. Ináyah, a Commentary on the Hidayah, Vols. II and IV, at rupees 16 each	32	0
12. Jawámi-ul-'ilm ir-riyází, 168 pages, with 17 plates, 4to Part I	2	0
13. Khizánat-ul-'ilm	4	0
14. Mahábhárata, Vols. III and IV, at rupees 20 each	40	0
15. Moore and Hewitson's Descriptions of New Indian Lepidoptera, Parts I—II, with 5 coloured Plates, 4to, at rupees 6 each	12	0
16. Puráṇa Sangraha, I (Markandeya Purana), Sanskrit	1	0
17. Sharí'at-ul-Islám	4	0
18. Tibetan Dictionary	10	0
19. Tibetan Grammar	8	0
20. Vuttodaya, edited by Lt.-Col. G. E. Fryer	2	0
Notices of Sanskrit Manuscripts, fasci. I—XVII, at rupee 1 each	17	0
Nepalese Buddhist Sanskrit Literature, by Dr. R. L. Mitra	5	0

☞ The following books may be purchased from the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, No. 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, for private use only, which should be stated in the requisition.

No orders can be attended to unless accompanied by a remittance. When postage stamps are forwarded, one anna additional should be sent for every Rupee's worth of stamps, for discount in exchanging them for cash. Service labels or Court Fee stamps are not received.

Books required for the public service cannot be supplied on payment; they are only issued on the authority of the Department to which the indenting officer is subordinate. Applications for them should be made through the Local Government under which the applicant serves.

The Report of the Rent Law Commission, with draft of Bill to amend the Law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal, in two volumes. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Report of the Government of Bengal on the proposed amendment, with revised Bill and Appendices, in two volumes. *Price, R1; packing and postage, R1.*

Correspondence between the Government of India and the Secretary of State regarding the proposed amendment. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

The Bengal Tenancy Bill, with annexures. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

INDEX to the Enactments relating to India. Compiled, under the orders of the Government of India, by Stephen Jacob, B.C.S., to which are prefixed Chronological Tables of the Acts and Regulations of the Indian Legislatures.

Price reduced from R10 to R5; packing and postage, 12 annas.

Just published.

Regulations for the Medical Department, Her Majesty's Forces, Bengal, 1882. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 6 annas; interleaved copy, R2-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Travelling Allowance Code (Civil), Revised Edition, 1883. *Price R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

A Manual of the Land Revenue Systems and Land Tenures of British India, by B. H. BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S *Royal 8vo, half calf. Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

A Manual of Jurisprudence for Forest Officers, by BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S., royal 8vo., half calf. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

Carbine and Rifle Exercises and Musketry Instruction for Native Troops, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Indian Appendix to the British Musketry Regulations, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, 12 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882. *Royal 8vo, Cloth gilt. Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Folio Foolscap.

Return of Wrecks and Casualties in Indian Waters for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, and 1881. *Price, R2 each; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Royal octavo, cloth, gilt.

The Commissariat Code for India, published under authority of the Government of India. *Price, R4; by post 8 annas extra*

Fasciculus of forms referred to in the Code. *Price, R2; by post 14 annas extra.*

Compendium of Existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. Compiled by H. G. Whelan, Superintendent, Office of Examiner of Commissariat Accounts. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas. Interleaved copies, R6; packing and postage, 12 annas*

Appendices to the Compendium of existing Regulations. Commissariat Department, Bengal. *Price, R4 for plain copies, and R5 for interleaved. copies; packing and postage, 6 annas and 9 annas respectively.*

Revised edition.

General Rules and Circular Orders of the High Court in Bengal, Appellate Side—Civil, R2 8; Criminal, R1-8, packing and postage, 5 annas and 3 annas respectively.

☞ Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to the public monthly, at R3 a year payable in advance.

P. W. D. Code, 4th Edition.

Vol. I.—(For the use of Sub-divisional as well as Divisional Officers)—

Chap. I. Organization of the Department.—II. Rules for candidates for appointment or promotion.—III. Duties of Departmental Officers—IV. Rules affecting personal conduct.—V. Special Rules applicable to all branches—VI. Office arrangements.—VII. Designs and Estimates.—VIII. Contracts.—IX. Execution of works.—X. Cash and stores.—XI. Public buildings.—XII. Accounts. *Price, R2-8; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. II.—(For the use of Divisional Officers)—

Chap. XIII. Executive Engineers' Accounts.—XIV. Duties of Examiner's Office.—XV. Budget Rules and Annual Reports.—XVI. Military Works.—XVII. Irrigation. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R2-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Super-royal octavo, cloth.

Tribes of the Hindoo Koosh. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

The Civil Service Gradation List is no longer appended to the Army List, but is published separately, and may be obtained from Mr. H. W. Ronaldson, Civil Fund Office, Calcutta. *Price, R1; postage, 4 annas.*

Select Extra-Tropical Plants readily eligible for industrial culture or naturalisation, with indications of their native countries and some of their uses, by Baron Ferd. Von Mueller. Indian edition, 1880. *Price, R4; Packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Report on Cotton Gins, and on the cleaning and quality of Indian cotton, in two parts; by Dr. FORBES WATSON. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

West India Pilot, Volume II. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

THE INDIAN STATUTE-BOOK.

REVISED EDITION.

A.—General Acts.

Vol. I.—From 1834 to 1863.

Vol. II.—From 1864 to 1871.

Vol. III.—From 1872 to June 1876. *Price of each Volume, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

B.—Local Regulations and Acts.

Vol. IV.—The Madras Code, 1876. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. V.—The Oudh Code, 1877. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. VI.—The North-Western Provinces Code, 1877. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. VII.—The British Burma Code, 1877. *Price, R3. packing and postage, 6 annas*

Vol. VIII.—The Panjáb Code, 1878, *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. IX.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. I. 1878. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. X.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. II, 1879. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Lower Provinces Code, 1882. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XI.—The Ajmer Code, 1879. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XII.—The Bombay Code, 1880. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XIII.—The Coorg Code, 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XIV.—The Central Provinces Code, 1881. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

C.—Statutes.

Vol. XV.—The Statutes relating to India. Vol. I, 1285 to 1855. *Price, R8; packing and postage. 12 annas.*

Vol. XVI.—The Statutes relating to India, Vol. II, 1856 to 1881. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Statutes relating to India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Unrepealed Acts of the Governor General's Council from 1854 to date available separately.

[Applications for any of the above Volumes or Acts should, when the same are required for the public service, be made to the Local Government to which the applicant is subordinate, and the Local Government will, if necessary, forward such applications to the Legislative Department. Only persons wishing to purchase copies for private use should apply to this Office.]

Abstract of Proceedings of the Legislative Council of the Governor General from July 1882. *Annual subscription R5; postage, R1. Single issue 4 annas, including postage.*
In three volumes—super royal 8vo.

Punjab Customary Law, containing selection from the Records of the Punjab Government, Statements of Customary Law in different Districts, and Questions on Tribal and Local Custom. Edited by C. L. Tupper, C.S. *Price, R10 a set; packing and postage, 14 annas.*

The Book of Aids to Military Equitation practised at the Cavalry Riding Establishment, Canterbury. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

The Civil Account Code, Vol. I. Second Edition, corrected to 31st October 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

NOTIFICATIONS relative to the PUBLIC LOANS of the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, from 1822 to 1879. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Tables showing the remissions or reductions of Stamp Duty authorised since the passing of Act XXXVI of 1860. *Price, annas 2; by post, annas 3.*

Cantonment Regulations framed under Act XXII of 1864. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Audit of Cantonment Funds. *Price, annas 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Selections from the records of the Government of India—

No. CLVI.—Report on the administration of the Baroda States for 1877-78. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXIX.—Ditto for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXIX.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLX.—The wheat production and trade of India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLXIV.—Report on the administration of the Ajmere and Mhairwarra Districts for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXII.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXV. Rajputana Dispensary, Vaccination, Jail and Sanitary Report for 1879. *Price, annas 12; packing and postage, annas 2.*

No. CLXXXIII.—Report on the Political administration of the Rajputana States, 1880-81. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Scientific results of the second Yarkund Mission—

Mollusca, R1-8; Geology, R1-8; Ichthyology, R3-8; Reptilia and Amphibia, R2-8; Hymenoptera, R1-8; Neuroptera, As. 12; Rhynchota, R2; Syringosphæria-e, R2; Lepidoptera, R2; *packing and postage, 2 annas each.*

Ditto—Mammalia, *R35; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

A sketch of the Túrkí language as spoken in Eastern Turkistan (Kashghar and Yarkand), together with a collection of Extracts, by R. B. Shaw, F.R.G.S. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the demarcation and management of the Forests in Kulu with Map. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the management of the Forests included in the Forest School Circle, N. W. Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in Assam. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

A Manual of Chinchona Cultivation in India, by Dr G. King, M.B., F.L.S. Second Edition, 1880. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Silk in India. Some account of Silk in India, especially of the various attempts to encourage and extend sericulture in that country. Compiled by J. Geoghegan. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

☞ *The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, Calcutta.*

A Manual of Tibetan, being a Guide to the Colloquial Speech of Tibet, in a Series of Progressive Exercises, by Major T. H. Lewin, F.R.G.S., of the Bengal Staff Corps, late Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas*

Copies are to be had at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

Examination Paper for Station Masters, Goods Clerks, Booking Clerks, Guards, Signallers, and menials employed on State Railways, by Mr. G. S. LEONARD, Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.* To be had on application from the Manager, Northern Bengal State Railway, Saidpore.

Publications for Sale at the Bengal Secretariat Press.

Distribution Return of Officers and Subordinates employed under District Road Cess Committees. Corrected up to 1st April 1883. *Price, 2 annas; postage ½ anna.*

List of Officers of the Public Works Department, Bengal. Corrected up to 1st April 1883. *Price, 6 annas; postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

The Quarterly Civil List. Corrected up to 1st April 1883. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Reprint of the Report of the Rent Law Commission, with the draft of a Bill to consolidate and amend the law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal. Vols. I and II. *Price, R3-8; packing and postage, 9 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers engaged in the Administration of the Salt Department. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Administration of Wards' and Attached Estates. Revised edition. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Board's Rules, or Rules for the guidance of Officers engaged in the administration of the Revenue Department in the Lower Provinces of Bengal. Revised edition, Vol. I. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R5; postage, 8 annas.*

Ditto ditto, Vol. II. *Price, R3; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R3-8; postage, 8 annas.*

☞ *Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to purchasers monthly, at R2 per annum, including postage.*

Rules for the Lease of Waste Lands in Bengal, May 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Opium Department. *Published by authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. Price, R3; postage, 2 annas.*

Bengali Translation of the Revised Salt Manual. *Price, 4 annas; postage, 6 pies.*

Civil Suits, 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Rules under the Cess Act, No. IX (B.C.) of 1880. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Pilots' Code of Signals, revised, enlarged, and arranged for use with three Geometrical Shapes in combination with the eighteen International Code Flags (on the plan of the Trinity Light-house Code), intended as a Supplement to the International Code of Signals. Also Calm or Line of Wind Signals; made with the above three shapes only. Concluding with the Morse Flashing Signals. Compiled by S. R. ELSON, Licensed Master Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service. Published by authority of the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 2 annas and 6 pies.*

The Bengal Embankment Manual: containing an account of the action of the Government in dealing with Embankments and Water-courses since the Permanent Settlement; a discussion of the principles of the Act of 1873; a reprint of the Act itself, with notes and appendices describing the present condition of Embankments under State control in Bengal, and the chief controversies concerning them. By HENRY LELAND HARRISON, B.A., C.S., late Mathematical Junior Student of Christ Church, Oxford. *Price, R2; with map, R3-4.*

The Factories' Act, XV of 1881, with Rules and Forms. *Price, 2 annas and 6 pies; packing and postage, ½ anna.*

Bengali Translations of the Rules and Notifications under the Arms Act issued by the Governments of India and Bengal. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Hindi Translation of the Rules and Noti-fications under the Indian Arms Act, 1878. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urya ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urdu ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Annual Report on Inland Emigration for 1880-81. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Papers regarding the Tea Industry in Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

List of the Trees, Shrubs, and large Climbers found in the Darjeeling District, Bengal. By J. S. GAMBLE, M.A., Assistant Conservator of Forests, Bengal. *Price, R1-8; postage, 1 anna.*

Report on the Census of Calcutta and its Suburbs, 1881. *Price R4; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1881-82. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1879-80. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1878-79. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 6 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1877-78. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3-8; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1876-77. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R5; Colored Map, R2-8.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Ganja in Bengal. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Collector, on special duty. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Jute in Bengal, and on Indian Fibres available for the Manufacture of Paper; with Map. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Magistrate, on special duty. *Price, R8; postage, 7 annas.*

Report on the Food-grain Supply and Statistical Review of the Relief Operations in the distressed districts of Behar and Bengal during the Famine of 1873-74. By A. P. MACDONNELL, of the Bengal Civil Service. *Price, R3-8; postage, 6 annas.*

Prices of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in Bengal from 1866 to 1878, compiled in the Bengal Secretariat, Statistical Department. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Report on the Census of Bengal, 1872. By H. BEVERLEY, Esq., C.S., Registrar-General of Bengal. *Price, R10; postage, 9 annas.*

Report on the Effects of Artificial Respi-ration, Intravenous Injection of Ammonia, and Administration of various Drugs, &c., in India and Australian Snake-poisoning; and the Physiological, Chemical and Microscopical Nature of Snake-poisons. By the Commission appointed to investigate the subject. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Memorandum on the Revenue History of Chittagong. By H. J. S. CORTON, Esq., Collector and Magistrate of Chittagong. *Price, R2-4; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

A Report on the District of Jessore: its Antiquities, its History and its Commerce. (Second Edition, Revised and Corrected.) By J. WESTLAND, Esq., C.S., late Magistrate and Collector of Jessore. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1881-82. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1879-80. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1878-79. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1877-78. *Price, R4-8; postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1876-77. *Price, R4-8; postage, 6 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1875-76. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1874-75. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1874-75. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R2; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1873-74. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1872-73. *Price, R7-8; postage, 10 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1873. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R2; postage, 2 annas.*

Report of the Vizagapatam and Backer-gunge Cyclones of October 1876. By J. ELIOT, Esq., M.A., Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

The Winds of Northern India. By H. F. BLANFORD, Esq., Meteorological Reporter to Government. *Price, R1 per copy; postage, 2 annas.*

A Statistical Account of Bengal. By W. W. HUNTER, B.A., LL.D., Director-General of Statistics to the Government of India.

Vol.	I.	24-Pergunnahs and Sundarbans.
Vol.	II.	Nadiya and Jessore.
Vol.	III.	Midnapur, Hugli and Howrah.
Vol.	IV.	Bardwan, Bankura and Birbhum.
Vol.	V.	Dacca, Bakarganj, Faridpur and Maimunsing.
Vol.	VI.	Chittagong Hill Tracts, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tipperah and Hill Tipperah.
Vol.	VII.	Maldah, Rangpur and Dinagepur.

Vol. VIII. Rajshahi and Bogra.
Vol. IX. Murshidabad and Pabna.
Vol. X. Darjiling, Jalpaiguri and Kuch Behar State.
Vol. XI. Patna and Saran.
Vol. XII. Gaya and Shahabad
Vol. XIII. Tirhut and Champaran.
Vol. XIV. Bhagalpur and Santal Parganas.
Vol. XV. Monghyr and Purniah
Vol. XVI. Hazaribagh and Lohardaga.
Vol. XVII. Singbhum, Tributary States and Manbhum.
Vol. XVIII. Cuttack and Balasor.
Vol. XIX. Puri and Tributary States of Orissa.
Vol. XX. Fisheries and Botany of Bengal, with General Index.
Vol. XX. General Index only.

Price, per volume, R4; postage, 5 annas

Manual of Materia Medica in Urdu, compiled by SHAIK AKBAR ALLY, Civil Hospital Assistant, Dinapore. *Price, 8 annas per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Buddha Gayá, the Hermitage of Sákya Muni. By Rájendralála Mitra, LL.D., C.I.E., Honorary Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Physical Class of the Imperial Academy of Sciences, Vienna; Corresponding Member of the German and of the American Oriental Societies; of the Royal Academy of Science, Hungary, and of the Ethnological Society of Berlin; Fellow of the Royal Society of Northern Antiquaries, Copenhagen, &c., &c. *Price, R30; packing and postage, R1-4.*

Further Notes on the Rungpore Records, Vol. II. By E. G. GLAZIER, Esq., C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore. *Price, R1; postage, 2 annas.*

Selection of Papers regarding the Hill Tracts between Assam and Burma, and on the Upper Brahmapooter *Price, R5; postage, 4 annas.*

Selections from Divisional and District Annual Administration Reports, 1872-73, with the Government Resolutions on them. *Price, R5; postage, 5 annas.*

Selections from the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*, 1871 to 1874 *Price, R4-8; postage, 3 annas.*

Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the Dzo or Kuki Language With Vocabularies and Popular Tales (notated) By Captain THOMAS HERBERT LEWIN, B.S.C., Deputy Commissioner Chittagong Hills. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas*

Notes on the History of Midnapore, as contained in records extant in the Collector's Office. By J. C. PRICE, Officiating Settlement Officer of Midnapore. Vol. I. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

Descriptive Ethnology of Bengal. By EDWARD TUITE DALTON, C.S.I., Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps; Commissioner of Chutia Nagpur; Member of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, &c. *Illustrated by Lithograph Portraits copied from Photographs.* Printed for the Government of Bengal, under the direction of the Council of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.

Price—Bound copies	R45	0	0
„ Unbound copies	„ 35	0	0

The Statistical Reporter, edited by H. J. S. COTTON, Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Vol. I, bound in full cloth, lettered	R10	0	0
Vol. II, ditto ditto	„ 10	0	0
Single copies of monthly Nos.	„ 2	0	0

Annual Statement of the Sea-borne Trade and Navigation of the Bengal Presidency, and of its Chief Port and each of the Subordinate Ports, with Foreign Countries, for the official year 1875-76. Vol. I. *Price, R12; postage, 10 annas.*

Rules for the Examination of, and grant of Certificates of Competency to, Masters, Mates and Engineers. *Price, R1; postage, 1 anna.*

Abstract of the Rules of the Road at Sea, in English. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Ditto ditto in Arabic. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Sanitary Primers in English and in Ben-gali. *Price, R6 per hundred, including transit and packing charges; single copies, 1 anna each.*

The Book named below having been de-clared a part of the obligatory equipment of Emigrant vessels, is now obtainable at the Bengal Secretariat Press at the price noted:—

West India Pilot, Vol II R6 0 0

☞ *Cash must be sent with order.*

Apply to Accountant, Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

The 9th February 1883.—The subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette* will henceforward be at the following rates, payable in advance:—

For the Mofussil.

	R	a.	p.	
Entire Gazette	15	0	0	per annum.
Postage	5	0	0	„
Supplement	6	0	0	„
Postage	3	0	0	„
Parts III, IV, V, and VI, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Councils of India and Bengal	5	0	0	„
Postage	2	8	0	„
For a single copy—				
Entire Gazette	0	8	0	
Postage	0	2	0	
Supplement	0	4	0	
Postage	0	1	0	
Parts III, IV, V, and VI	0	1	0	for 4 sheets or under with an additional charge of 1 anna for every 4 sheets in excess of 4.
Postage	0	1	0	

For Calcutta.

The same rates as those for the mofussil, with the exception of the charge for postage.

E. N. BAKER,
Offg Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

On 28th June 1883, the Government Promissory Note, No. 163257, of the 4 per cent. of 1865, for R500, originally standing in the name of Kanye Lal Sein, and lastly blank endorsed by Prosad Das Boral, on 2nd June 1883, in favour of the undersigned proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

BUNKU LAL DHUR,
8, Roopchand Roy's Street, Calcutta.

Lost or Stolen

In transit by post, the upper halves of the Government Promissory Notes, Nos. 002205 and 016139, of the 4 per cent. of 1832-33—1835-36, for R500 and 1,000 respectively, originally standing in the name of the Opium Agent, Benares. Payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor.

H. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Opium Agent, Benares, Ghazipore, N.-W. P.

SUPPLEMENT TO

The Gazette of India.

№ 27.] CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1883.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT *to the* GAZETTE OF INDIA *will be published from time to time, containing such Official Papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as it may usefully be made known.*

Non-Subscribers to the GAZETTE *may receive the* SUPPLEMENT *separately on a payment of six Rupees per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or nine Rupees if sent by Post.*

No Official Orders or Notifications, the publication of which in the GAZETTE OF INDIA *is required by Law, or which it has been customary to publish in the* CALCUTTA GAZETTE, *will be included in the* SUPPLEMENT. *For such Orders and Notifications the body of the* GAZETTE *must be looked to.*

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice. Best sort.			Rice. Common.			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowari). *Holcus Sorghum*			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra). *Penicillaria Spicata.*			Lesser Millets, Ragi & c. (Kavarn, Vera-Sawee, Cheena Coraloo, Morawa, Nagee, &c.), *Panicum Miliaceum, Eleusine Coracana,* &c.			Gram			Firewood.			Salt. Wholesale.			Salt. Retail.		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
Arakan Division.																																			
. . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
rn Arakan . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	9 0	10 0	6 0	10 0	11 0	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	...
..yoo . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
way . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prome Division.																																			
rn Town . .	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	...	..	12 3	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	..	..	...	19 7	...	...	320 0	..	...	50 11	...	...	22 10	...	...
awaddy . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	35 11½	...	...	18 14	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	14 9	...	...	35 11½	...	...	..	...	...	35 11½	...	...
. . . .	12 2	12 2	18 3	...	...	...	12 3	12 3	13 7	13 12	15 4	17 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	15 9	15 9	20 12	139 11	139 11	139 11	25 5	25 5	32 4	16 9	16 9	18 10
Tawaddy Division.																																			
da	...	..	...	...	...	...	11 15	11 15	17 14	15 10	15 10	26 0	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	183 8	183 8	183 8	29 9	29 9	32 4	29 9	29 9	29 9
n	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 14	10 6	17 0	13 6	13 9	20 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	11 9	11 9	11 11	265 7	265 7	169 11	28 9	28 9	31 0	21 4	21 4	28 4
gwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
tmyo	13 6	13 6	15 1	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	11 11	13 13	13 13	13 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 7	18 7	14 6	245 0	245 0	245 0	25 5	25 5	25 6	18 15	18 15	18 15
Tasserim Division.																																			
nein Town and Amherst	12 2	12 2	10 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	12 10	13 14	13 14	20 4	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	12 2	12 2	11 1	220 0	220 0	220 0	32 5	32 5	47 7	22 12	22 12	35 8
. . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 6	12 6	13 12	17 15	17 11	22 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	399 3	399 3	399 3	24 2	24 2	24 2	16 1	16 1	16 1
ni	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 12	16 4	17 5	16 4	20 3	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	428 0	428 0	428 0	24 5	26 1	36 8	14 7½	14 7½	29 3
roo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
gyin	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	10 10	15 9	12 0	11 5	17 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 8	32 3	32 3	18 14	18 14	18 14
en	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250 0	250 0	250 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
dore	11 15	11 11	11 12	13 1	12 12	13 4	10 2	10 2	10 2	11 2	11 2	11 5	30 3	30 1	25 9	...	...	...	33 3	32 15	24 8	31 10	32 13	30 8	96 0	96 0	84 0	13 0	13 0	12 12	12 12	12 12	12 8
. . . .	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	11 2	12 15	12 15	12 14	14 13	15 2	15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	37 2	37 2	31 0	37 0	37 0	34 3	172 6	172 6	172 6	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 3	13 3	13 3
úr	14 0	14 0	14 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	44 0	33 0	34 0	35 0	36 0	340 0	340 0	340 0	11 0	11 0	11 8	11 0	10 8	11 0	10 8
e	11 12	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	10 8	12 4	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0	27 0	18 0	32 0	32 0	27 0	78 0	78 0	84 0	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	12 8	0
ga	15 12	15 12	14 11	16 13	16 13	15 12	11 9	11 9	10 8	14 11	16 4	13 10	37 13	36 13	27 5	...	...	...	38 14	37 4	28 11	31 8	31 8	29 6	180 0	480 0	480 0	9 7	11 9	10 8	8 6	10 8	9 7
. . . .	14 0	14 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	13 0	10 0	17 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	32 0	32 0	22 0	30 0	30 0	22 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0
. . . .	13 10	13 5	14 1	...	...	...	9 6	9 3	8 9	10 0	9 10	10 0	17 12	17 12	19 3	18 0	18 7	20 13	...	...	...	17 2	17 7	17 12	100 0	100 0	100 0	12 0	11 6	11 0	11 6	11 8	10 0
r	16 11	17 1	16 4	23 12	23 12	21 4	7 5	6 14	7 5	9 8	9 10	9 10	24 15	25 5	2[illegible] 0	19 3	20 2	16 7	...	...	...	22 14	23 6	19 11	127 12	127 12	109 8	...	...	...	11 7	11 3	11 9
. . . .	24 0	24 0	22 8	20 0	20 0	19 0	10 8	10 8	9 8	11 0	11 0	10 0	33 0	33 0	27 0	20 0	20 0	19 0	...	...	...	30 0	30 0	27 0	280 0	280 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 6
lkund (Sutna) . .	23 3	23 9	22 8	41 14	40 0	35 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	19 0	19 7	21 0	35 2	36 5	35 0	32 0	32 6	25 0	...	...	...	36 5	36 6	33 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 1	12 6	12 5	11 5	11 12	11 12

NT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
(*Statistical Branch.*)

D. BARBOUR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The Gazette of India

EXTRAORDINARY.

Published by Authority.

SIMLA, FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1883.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

No. 2050.

Simla, the 13th July 1883.

The Governor General in Council has determined to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees, being the amount required for the public service.

The following Notification is therefore published:—

FOUR PER CENT. LOAN.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees for the public service in the following manner.

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in Form A annexed to this Notification, being the form of the notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865*, of which Loan the notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865* will apply to the notes to be now issued.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Tuesday, the 14th August 1883. Tenders must be in sums of 500 Rupees or multiples of 500 Rupees.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Calcutta, and enclosed in a closed cover, superscribed "*Tender for the Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883.*" If the tenderer is not resident in India, he must name an agent resident in India to whom a letter of allotment may be issued if any part of the loan is allotted to such tenderer.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or one of their Branches, or from an Officer in charge of some public Treasury, or by a cheque drawn in favour of the Comptroller General on a Bank in Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, or by* Government Promissory Notes, standing in the name of or endorsed to the tenderer or

* *It is particularly requested that such Promissory Notes may NOT be endorsed to the Comptroller General.*

the person making the deposit, for not less than one-hundredth, or, if the tender be for less than Five Lakhs of Rupees, then for not less than one-fiftieth part of the tender. If the allotment is not fully taken up, this deposit of one or two per centum will be forfeited; and if one or more Government Promissory Notes have been deposited, such note or notes will be appropriated by the Government and cancelled; otherwise, if the deposit is in cash, it will be either refunded to the tenderer after his tender has been completely paid up, or, on his application, taken in part payment, completing the amount due upon his tender. A cash deposit may, after acceptance of the tender in support of which it is made, be replaced by a Government Promissory note, as aforesaid.

6. The rate at which a tender is made must not contain a fraction of an anna: if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

7. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in rupees or rupees and annas: a tender in which no rate is thus specified, but a subscription is offered in some other terms, as, for example, at the recorded minimum, or at some specified percentage in addition to the recorded minimum, or at the average of the accepted tenders, will be rejected as null and void.

8. The minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and, before the tenders are opened, placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, but will not be declared unless some tender is rejected only because it is below the recorded minimum.

9. Tenders will be opened, publicly, by the Comptroller General at the Currency Office, No. 1, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon on Tuesday, the 14th August 1883; but the contents of the tenders will not be disclosed otherwise than as provided in clause 11.

10. Tenders at the recorded minimum rate, and at rates above the recorded minimum rate, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rate; the amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders: provided that no allotment will be issued if the amount distributable on any tender is less than R350.

11. To each tenderer (or to his agent) whose tender is accepted in whole or in part such number of allotment-certificates as may be necessary to make up the aggregate amount allotted to him, will be issued as soon as possible after the 14th August 1883; and an alphabetical list of the names of those to whom such allotment-certificates are issued will be posted, for general information, at the Head Offices of Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay.

12. If the allotment made on any tender is less than R3,000, then the whole of the allotment-certificates will be made payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883.

Otherwise the whole amount of each allotment will be divided into three instalments, as follows:—

Instalment I—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, August 28th, 1883:

Instalment II—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883:

Instalment III—The balance, payable upon Saturday, October 20th, 1883: and allotment-certificates will be issued for each instalment separately.

The words "as near as convenient" refer to the necessity for making each instalment an exact multiple of R500.

13. Any allotment-certificate will, on application to the Comptroller General, be exchanged for an equivalent amount of allotment-certificates of smaller denominations, provided that if any payment is recorded upon the cancelled certificate, it can be taken against, and recorded upon, only one of the certificates issued in exchange.

14. Payment of any allotment-certificate may be made to the account of the Government in the Head Office of one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or in any Branch of these Banks, or into any Public Treasury or Treasuries in India which may be named in the tender in respect of which it was issued. Receipts for such payments will be given by the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or their Branches, or by the Officers in charge of the Government Treasuries at which payment is made, by enfacement upon the relative certificate.

15. (*a*) When any allotment-certificate is fully paid up, the holder will, on presenting it duly receipted at the place where it was paid, obtain from the Public Debt Office, Calcutta, Promissory Notes of such values as he may desire (each note being in even hundreds and not less than R500), bearing interest from November 1st, 1883, and he will also receive interest at four per cent. per annum from the dates on which he may have made payment till the last day of October 1883.

(*b*) Or he may, at his option, by paying interest at the said rate from 1st May 1883, to the dates on which he may have made payment, obtain Promissory Notes as above, bearing interest from 1st May 1883.

16. The holder of a paid-up allotment-certificate may also, on special application, obtain, on the same terms and conditions as are mentioned in section 15, clause (*a*), Promissory Notes with coupons attached, or stock certificates (Form B) with coupons attached, and payable to bearer, in accordance with the Loan Notification of this Department, dated 27th June 1881 (*i.e.*, *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1881*, forming part of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1st May 1865*). In such cases the first coupon issued will be that which falls due on 1st May 1884.

FORM A OF PROMISSORY NOTE (see Clause 2).

Fort William, the 1st of May 1865.

Promissory Note *Government Rupees* *at four per cent.*

No. *of 1865.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from

the sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred as a loan to the Secretary of State in Council for India, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council, to repay the said loan, by paying the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred to the said ,

his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, on demand, at the General Treasury at Fort William, after the expiration of Three Months' Notice of Payment, to be given by the Governor General of India in Council, in the *Government Gazette*, and to pay the interest accruing on the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred from the 1st November 1883 (Eighty-three), at the rate of four per cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments, at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said

, his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, until the expiration of Three Months after such notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of interest due will be payable with the principal, and (such notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this note) all further interest shall cease.

FORM B OF COUPONED CERTIFICATE.

India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865.

Redeemable at any time after three months' notice in the "Gazette of India."

Certificate

R 000 No.

This is to certify that the bearer of this certificate is entitled, under the Notification of the Government of India of the 27th June 1881, to Government Rupees

India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865, payable Three Months after Notice, which may be published in the *Gazette of India* at any time.

No. , R

Calcutta, 1st November 1881.

The coupons attached to this Certificate, as well as the principal sum herein named, are payable to bearer at the Government Treasury at Calcutta only.

FORM C OF TENDER—(see Clause 4).

I, *A. B.*, hereby tender for Rupees (X) *of The Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883*, advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 13th July 1883, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rupees (Y) annas (Z) for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

I enclose a *deposit receipt** for Rupees (XX), and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Bank of† (or at the† Branch of the Bank of† ; or into the Public Treasury at† , as the case may be)—

* Or Cheque or Government Promissory Note.

† Here enter the name of Bank, Branch Bank or Treasury.

The first instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 28th August 1883.

The second instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

The balance, on or before Saturday, October 20th, 1883.

Or, if the amount allotted to me be less than Rs. 3,000, then the whole amount on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

Any allotment made to me may be communicated to *C. D. at* ‡

‡ Here insert C. D.'s address, which must be in India. This paragraph should only be inserted if A. B. does not reside in India, or if, residing in India, he wishes the allotment communicated to an agent.

NOTE (1).—*A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered. The rate tendered should be the whole amount per centum, not the premium or discount; thus, "One hundred and two," or "One hundred," or "Ninety-nine"; not "Two per cent. premium," or "Par," or "One per cent. discount."*

By order of the Governor General of India in Council,

D. M. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Printed and Published for the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA *at the* GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BRANCH PRESS, *Simla.*

The Gazette of India

EXTRAORDINARY.

Published by Authority.

CALCUTTA, FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1883.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Simla, the 13th July 1883.

No. 2050.

The Governor General in Council has determined to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees, being the amount required for the public service.

The following Notification is therefore published :—

FOUR PER CENT. LOAN.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees for the public service in the following manner.

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in Form A annexed to this Notification, being the form of the notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865*, of which Loan the notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865* will apply to the notes to be now issued.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Tuesday, the 14th August 1883. Tenders must be in sums of 500 Rupees or multiples of 500 Rupees.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Calcutta, and enclosed in a closed cover, superscribed "*Tender for the Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883.*" If the tenderer is not resident in India, he must name an agent resident in India to whom a letter of allotment may be issued if any part of the loan is allotted to such tenderer.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or one of their Branches, or from an Officer in charge of some public Treasury, or by a cheque drawn in favour of the Comptroller General on a Bank in Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, or by* Government Promissory Notes, standing in the name of or endorsed to the tenderer or the person making the deposit, for not less than one-hundredth, or, if the tender

* *It is particularly requested that such Promissory Notes may NOT be endorsed to the Comptroller General.*

be for less than Five Lakhs of Rupees, then for not less than one-fiftieth part of the tender. If the allotment is not fully taken up, this deposit of one or two per centum will be forfeited; and if one or more Government Promissory Notes have been deposited, such note or notes will be appropriated by the Government and cancelled; otherwise, if the deposit is in cash, it will be either refunded to the tenderer after his tender has been completely paid up, or, on his application, taken in part payment, completing the amount due upon his tender. A cash deposit may, after acceptance of the tender in support of which it is made, be replaced by a Government Promissory Note, as aforesaid.

6. The rate at which a tender is made must not contain a fraction of an anna: if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

7. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in rupees or rupees and annas: a tender in which no rate is thus specified, but a subscription is offered in some other terms, as, for example, at the recorded minimum, or at some specified percentage in addition to the recorded minimum, or at the average of the accepted tenders, will be rejected as null and void.

8. The minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and, before the tenders are opened, placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, but will not be declared unless some tender is rejected only because it is below the recorded minimum.

9. Tenders will be opened, publicly, by the Comptroller General at the Currency Office, No. 1, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon on Tuesday, the 14th August 1883; but the contents of the tenders will not be disclosed otherwise than as provided in clause 11.

10. Tenders at the recorded minimum rate, and at rates above the recorded minimum rate, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rate; the amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders: provided that no allotment will be issued if the amount distributable on any tender is less than R350.

11. To each tenderer (or to his agent) whose tender is accepted in whole or in part such number of allotment-certificates as may be necessary to make up the aggregate amount allotted to him, will be issued as soon as possible after the 14th August 1883; and an alphabetical list of the names of those to whom such allotment-certificates are issued will be posted, for general information, at the Head Offices of Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay.

12. If the allotment made on any tender is less than R3,000, then the whole of the allotment-certificates will be made payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883.

Otherwise the whole amount of each allotment will be divided into three instalments, as follows:—

Instalment I—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, August 28th, 1883:

Instalment II—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883:

Instalment III—The balance, payable upon Saturday, October 20th, 1883

and allotment-certificates will be issued for each instalment separately.

The words "as near as convenient" refer to the necessity for making each instalment an exact multiple of R500.

13. Any allotment certificate will, on application to the Comptroller General, be exchanged for an equivalent amount of allotment-certificates of smaller denominations, provided that if any payment is recorded upon the cancelled certificate, it can be taken against, and recorded upon, only one of the certificates issued in exchange.

14. Payment of any allotment-certificate may be made to the account of the Government in the Head Office of one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or

Bombay, or in any Branch of these Banks, or into any Public Treasury or Treasuries in India which may be named in the tender in respect of which it was issued. Receipts for such payments will be given by the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or their Branches, or by the Officers in charge of the Government Treasuries at which payment is made, by enfacement upon the relative certificate.

15. (*a*) When any allotment-certificate is fully paid up, the holder will, on presenting it duly receipted at the place where it was paid, obtain from the Public Debt Office, Calcutta, Promissory Notes of such values as he may desire (each note being in even hundreds and not less than R500), bearing interest from November 1st, 1883, and he will also receive interest at four per cent. per annum from the dates on which he may have made payment till the last day of October 1883.

(*b*) Or he may, at his option, by paying interest at the said rate from 1st May 1883, to the dates on which he may have made payment, obtain Promissory Notes as above, bearing interest from 1st May 1883.

16. The holder of a paid-up allotment-certificate may also, on special application, obtain, on the same terms and conditions as are mentioned in section 15, clause (*a*), Promissory Notes with coupons attached, or stock certificates (Form B) with coupons attached, and payable to bearer, in accordance with the Loan Notification of this Department, dated 27th June 1881 (*i.e.*, *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1881*, forming part of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1st May 1865*). In such cases the first coupon issued will be that which falls due on 1st May 1884.

By Order,

D. M. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India,
Department of Finance and Commerce

FORM A OF PROMISSORY NOTE (see Clause 2).

Fort William, the 1st of May 1865.

Promissory Note *Government Rupees* *at four per cent.*
No. *of 1865.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from
the sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred as a loan to the Secretary of State in Council for India, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council, to repay the said loan, by paying the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred, to the said
his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, on demand, at the General Treasury at Fort William, after the expiration of Three Months' Notice of Payment, to be given by the Governor General of India in Council, in the *Government Gazette*, and to pay the interest accruing on the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred from the 1st November 1883 (Eighty-three), at the rate of four per cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments, at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said
, his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, until the expiration of three months after such notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of interest due will be payable with the principal, and (such notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this note) all further interest shall cease.

FORM B OF COUPONED CERTIFICATE.

India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865.

Redeemable at any time after three months' notice in the "Gazette of India."

Certificate

R 000 No.

This is to certify that the bearer of this certificate is entitled, under the Notification of the Government of India of the 27th June 1881, to Government Rupees
India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865, payable Three Months after Notice, which may be published in the *Gazette of India* at any time.

No. , R

Calcutta, 1st November 1881.

The coupons attached to this Certificate, as well as the principal sum herein named, are payable to bearer at the Government Treasury at Calcutta only.

FORM C OF TENDER (see Clause 4).

I, *A. B.*, hereby tender for Rupees (X) *of The Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883*, advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 13th July 1883, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rupees (Y) annas (Z) for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

I enclose a *deposit receipt** for Rupees (XX), and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Bank of† (or at the† Branch of the Bank of† ; or into the Public Treasury at† , as the case may be)—

* Or Cheque or Government Promissory Note.
† Here enter the name of Bank, Branch Bank or Treasury.

The first instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 28th August 1883.

The second instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

The balance, on or before Saturday, October 20th, 1883.

Or, if the amount allotted to me be less than R3,000, then the whole amount on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

Any allotment made to me may be communicated to *C. D. at* ‡

‡ Here insert C. D.'s address, which must be in India. This paragraph should only be inserted if A. B. does not reside in India, or if, residing in India, he wishes the allotment communicated to an agent.

NOTE (1)—*A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered. The rate tendered should be the whole amount per centum, not the premium or discount; thus, "One hundred and two," or "One hundred," or "Ninety-nine;" not "Two per cent. premium," or "Par," or "One per cent. discount."*

NOTIFICATION BY THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL.

The Comptroller General requests the attention of tenderers to the following arrangements:—

Filling up Tenders.

(1) They are requested to use only the printed forms of tender, which will be available at his Office and at the Currency Office, on application to the Durwan on duty,—at all the Provincial Account Offices, and at the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay: and will also be supplied to the principal Treasuries.

(2) If the deposit is in the form of Promissory Notes or of Currency Notes, their number should be quoted in detail in the tender.

Presentation of Tenders.

(3) For all tenders presented to him in his Office upon the last fixed day, or the two days preceding it, he will give the bearer a receipt bearing a number, and initialled by himself or an assistant specially deputed for the purpose.

Return of deposit in case of non-acceptance.

(4) The reverse of this receipt is a form in which, in the event of the tender not being accepted, the tenderer may give to the Comptroller General a receipt for the deposit accompanying it. This form should, on the third day after the opening of the tenders, be filled up, signed with the same signature as the tender, and be presented at the Office of the Comptroller General. The deposit will then be returned to the bearer, in exchange for the receipt.

(5) Deposit upon tenders presented personally, as described in No. 3 above, will be returned only in this way, and will not be sent by post, or otherwise. Deposits upon other unsuccessful tenders will be returned by post, or by the hands of a clerk.

Accepted Tenders.

(6) It will be observed that instead of the hitherto-used form of allotment letter, the Comptroller General will issue allotment certificates to successful tenderers. These certificates will be for the following amounts R500, R1,000, R2,000, R5,000, R10,000, R20,000, R50,000, R1,00,000, making up the full value accepted; and will be, substantially, of the following form:—

This is to certify that, in accordance with the terms of Notification No. 2050, dated 13th July 1883 (Gazette of India Extraordinary, *dated 13th July 1883*), *the above-named tenderer has engaged to take up R2,000 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1883, at the rate above mentioned, on or before September 25th, 1883, and that on the said payment being completed, he is entitled, on endorsing and delivering up this certificate, to receive a promissory note or notes or stock certificate of the Government of India for R2,000, bearing interest from November 1st, 1883.*

CALCUTTA,
13th July 1883.

J. WESTLAND,
Comptroller General.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

Nº 28.} SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

CONTENTS.

PART I.—Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, Leave of Absence, General Orders, Rules and Regulations.

PART II.—Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, Administrator General, Paper Currency Dept., Presidency Pay Master, Money Order Department, Mint Master, Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Supdt. of Government Printing, and other Government Officers; Postal, Telegraph, and Commissariat Notices.

PART III.—Advertisements and Notices by private individuals and Corporations.

PART IV.—Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General:—

Nothing for publication.

PART V.—Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.—

The Native Passenger Ships Bill, 1883.
The Rangoon Street Tramways Bill, 1883.
The Protection of Inventions Bill, 1883.

SUPPLEMENT No. 28.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.—MEDICAL.

Simla, the 9th July 1883.

No. 229.—The services of Brigade Surgeon J. Brake, Civil Surgeon of Nagpur, are, at his own request, replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 28th June 1883.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 11th July, 1883.

No. 1772 *G.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. J. Frame as Vice-Consul for Denmark, at Bassein, *vice* Mr. A. Philippi, resigned.

JUDICIAL.

The 7th July, 1883.

No. 1883 *I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 4 and 6 of Act XXI of 1879 (The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the officer holding for the time being the office of Commissioner of Rohilkhand and Agent of the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces for Rampur, provided that such officer be a European British subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within the territories of the Nawab of Rampur.

C. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th July 1883.

No. 2050.—The Governor General in Council has determined to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees, being the amount required for the public service.

The following Notification is therefore published:—

FOUR PER CENT. LOAN.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees for the public service in the following manner.

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in Form A annexed to this Notification, being the form of the notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865*, of which Loan the notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865* will apply to the notes to be now issued.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Tuesday, the 14th August 1883. Tenders must be in sums of 500 Rupees or multiples of 500 Rupees.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Calcutta, and enclosed in a closed cover, superscribed "*Tender for the Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883.*" If the tenderer is not resident in India, he must name an agent resident in India to whom a letter of allotment may be issued if any part of the loan is allotted to such tenderer.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or one of their Branches, or from an Officer in charge of some public Treasury, or by a cheque drawn in favour of the Comptroller General on a Bank in Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, or by* Government Promissory Notes, standing in the name of or endorsed to the tenderer or the person making the deposit, for not less than one-hundredth, or, if the tender be for less than Five Lakhs of Rupees, then for not less than one-fiftieth part of the tender. If the allotment is not fully taken up, this deposit of one or two per centum will be forfeited; and if one or more Government Promissory Notes have been deposited, such note or notes will be appropriated by the Government and cancelled; otherwise, if the deposit is in cash, it will be either refunded to the tenderer after his tender has been completely paid up, or, on his application, taken in part payment, completing the amount due upon his tender. A cash deposit may, after acceptance of the tender in support of which it is made, be replaced by a Government Promissory note, as aforesaid.

6. The rate at which a tender is made must not contain a fraction of an anna: if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

7. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in rupees or rupees and annas: a tender in which no rate is thus specified, but a subscription is offered in some other terms, as, for example, at the recorded minimum, or at some specified percentage in addition to the recorded minimum, or at the average of the accepted tenders, will be rejected as null and void.

8. The minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and, before the tenders are opened, placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, but will not be declared unless some tender is rejected only because it is below the recorded minimum.

9. Tenders will be opened, publicly, by the Comptroller General at the Currency Office, No. 1, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon on Tuesday, the

* *It is particularly requested that such Promissory Notes may NOT be endorsed to the Comptroller General.*

14th August 1883; but the contents of the tenders will not be disclosed otherwise than as provided in clause 11.

10. Tenders at the recorded minimum rate, and at rates above the recorded minimum rate, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rate; the amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders: provided that no allotment will be issued if the amount distributable on any tender is less than R350.

11. To each tenderer (or to his agent) whose tender is accepted in whole or in part such number of allotment-certificates as may be necessary to make up the aggregate amount allotted to him, will be issued as soon as possible after the 14th August 1883; and an alphabetical list of the names of those to whom such allotment-certificates are issued will be posted, for general information, at the Head Offices of Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay.

12. If the allotment made on any tender is less than R3,000, then the whole of the allotment-certificates will be made payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883.

Otherwise the whole amount of each allotment will be divided into three instalments, as follows:—

Instalment I—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, August 28th, 1883:

Instalment II—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883:

Instalment III—The balance, payable upon Saturday, October 20th, 1883:

and allotment-certificates will be issued for each instalment separately.

The words "as near as convenient" refer to the necessity for making each instalment an exact multiple of R500.

13. Any allotment-certificate will, on application to the Comptroller General, be exchanged for an equivalent amount of allotment-certificates of smaller denominations, provided that if any payment is recorded upon the cancelled certificate, it can be taken against, and recorded upon, only one of the certificates issued in exchange.

14. Payment of any allotment-certificate may be made to the account of the Government in the Head Office of one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or in any Branch of these Banks, or into any Public Treasury or Treasuries in India which may be named in the tender in respect of which it was issued. Receipts for such payments will be given by the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or their Branches, or by the Officers in charge of the Government Treasuries at which payment is made, by enfacement upon the relative certificate.

15. (*a*) When any allotment-certificate is fully paid up, the holder will, on presenting it duly receipted at the place where it was paid, obtain from the Public Debt Office, Calcutta, Promissory Notes of such values as he may desire (each note being in even hundreds and not less than R500), bearing interest from November 1st, 1883, and he will also receive interest at four per cent. per annum from the dates on which he may have made payment till the last day of October 1883.

(*b*) Or he may, at his option, by paying interest at the said rate from 1st May 1883, to the dates on which he may have made payment, obtain Promissory Notes as above, bearing interest from 1st May 1883.

16. The holder of a paid-up allotment-certificate may also, on special application, obtain, on the same terms and conditions as are mentioned in section 15, clause (*a*), Promissory Notes with coupons attached, or stock certificates (Form B) with coupons attached, and payable to bearer, in accordance with the Loan Notification of this Department, dated 27th June 1881 (*i.e.*, *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1881*, forming part of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1st May 1865*). In such cases the first coupon issued will be that which falls due on 1st May 1884.

FORM A OF PROMISSORY NOTE—(see Clause 2).

Fort William, the 1st of May 1865.

Promissory Note *Government Rupees* *at four per cent.*

No. *of 1865.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from
the sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred as a loan to the Secretary of State in Council for India, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council, to repay the said loan, by paying the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred to the said ,
his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, on demand, at the General Treasury at Fort William, after the expiration of Three Months' Notice of Payment, to be given by the Governor General of India in Council, in the *Government Gazette*, and to pay the interest accruing on the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred from the 1st November 1883 (Eighty-three), at the rate of four per cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments, at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said
, his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, until the expiration of Three Months after such notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of interest due will be payable with the principal, and (such notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this note) all further interest shall cease.

FORM B OF COUPONED CERTIFICATE.

India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865.

Redeemable at any time after three months' notice in the "Gazette of India."

Certificate

R 000 No.

This is to certify that the bearer of this certificate is entitled, under the Notification of the Government of India of the 27th June 1881, to Government Rupees
India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865, payable Three Months after Notice, which may be published in the *Gazette of India* at any time.

No. , R

Calcutta, 1st November 1881.

The coupons attached to this Certificate, as well as the principal sum herein named, are payable to bearer at the Government Treasury at Calcutta only.

FORM C OF TENDER—(see Clause 4).

I, *A. B.*, hereby tender for Rupees (X) *of The Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883*, advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 13th July 1883, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rupees (Y) annas (Z) for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

I enclose a *deposit receipt** for Rupees (XX), and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Bank of† (or at the† Branch of the Bank of† ; or into the Public Treasury at† , as the case may be)—

* Or Cheque or Government Promissory Note.

† Here enter the name of Bank, Branch Bank or Treasury.

The first instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 28th August 1883.

The second instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

The balance, on or before Saturday, October 20th, 1883.

Or, if the amount allotted to me be less than Rs. 3,000, then the whole amount on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

Any allotment made to me may be communicated to *C. D. at* ‡

‡ Here insert C. D.'s address, which must be in India. This paragraph should only be inserted if A. B. does not reside in India, or if, residing in India, he wishes the allotment communicated to an agent.

NOTE (1).—*A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered. The rate tendered should be the whole amount per centum, not the premium or discount; thus, "One hundred and two," or "One hundred," or "Ninety-nine"; not "Two per cent. premium," or "Par," or "One per cent. discount."*

By order of the Governor General of India in Council,

D. M. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 2071.—Mr. E. S. Byrne, while holding the office of Deputy Accountant General, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, was absent on privilege leave from the 17th May to the 29th June 1883, inclusive.

No. 2077.—*Abstract of the Accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 30th June 1883, published as required by Section 27 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, XX of 1882.*

Circles of Issue.	Whole amount of Notes in circulation.	Reserve in Silver Coin and Bullion.		
		Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta ...	6,19,73,400	1,34,55,272	9,85,277	1,44,40,549
Allahabad ...	81,71,225	58,01,950	...	58,01,950
Lahore ...	73,53,140	72,83,910	...	72,83,910
Bombay ...	3,18,93,030	2,68,55,804	10,40,216	2,79,46,020
Kurrachee ...	31,19,990	28,38,145	29,000	29,17,145
Madras ...	1,60,96,395	98,44,530	8,40,000	1,06,84,530
Calicut ...	11,97,450	10,90,410		10,90,410
Total ...	13,01,04,570	6,72,60,111	28,94,493	7,01,54,604
Deduct amount received at Calcutta but not paid at Lahore...				50,000
				7,01,04,604
Price paid for Government Securities of the nominal value of Rs. 6,25,37,700 held under Section 19 of the Act ..				5,99,99,966
Grand Total ...				13,01,04,570

D. M. BARBOUR,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 13th July, 1883.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 398.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant G. J. Younghusband, Leicestershire Regiment, Squadron Officer, (Queen's Own) Corps of Guides,—5th October, 1880.

No. 399.—BRIGADE STAFF—

Captain (Brevet Major) F. C. Burton, Bengal S. C., Squadron Commander, 1st Bengal Cavalry, Officiating Brigade Major, to be a Brigade Major on the Establishment, *vice* Major A. L'E. H. Holmes. Dated 15th July, 1883.

No. 400.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant B. W. Cracroft, Bengal S. C., Wing Officer, 11th Native Infantry, to be a Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 25th June, 1883.

No. 401.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

1st Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant S. W. Jervis, Wing Officer, 4th Punjab Infantry, to be Wing Officer and Quartermaster, *vice* Captain L. R. H. D. Campbell, appointed Officiating Wing Commander, 6th Punjab Infantry.

2nd Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Codrington, Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel H. Tyndall, C.B., who vacates.

Major C. K. Mackinnon, Officiating Commandant, 5th Punjab Infantry, to be Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Codrington, but to continue to officiate as Commandant, 5th Punjab Infantry, until further orders.

Colonel W. C. Chowne, Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, 6th Punjab Infantry, and Officiating Commandant, 2nd Punjab Infantry, to continue to officiate as Commandant, 2nd Punjab Infantry, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Codrington, or until further orders.

Major J. Finnis, Wing Commander, 5th Punjab Infantry, to continue to officiate as 2nd-in-Command, 2nd Punjab Infantry, during the period Major C. K. Mackinnon may officiate as Commandant, 5th Punjab Infantry, or until further orders.

Dated 1st April, 1883.

6th Punjab Infantry.

Captain L. R. H. D. Campbell, Wing Officer, 1st Punjab Infantry, to be Officiating Wing Commander, *vice* Major T. F. Bruce, Officiating 2nd-in-Command, and until the return from furlough of Major A. N. Sandilands.

FURLOUGH.

No. 402.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Lieutenant-Colonel B. Cracroft, Bengal S. C., Squadron Commander and 2nd-in-Command, 3rd Bengal Cavalry, (p. a.) for two years, under rule IX of the regulations of 1868. (This cancels the furlough granted to him in G. G. O. No. 159 of 1883.)

Major T. J. Quin, General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, (p. a.) for 213 days, under rule IX of the regulations of 1868.

Deputy Surgeon-General W. B. Beatson, M.D., (m. c.) for 183 days,—the period up to the 20th December, 1883, under G. G. O. No. 872 of 1876, and the remaining period under rules IX and XV of the regulations of 1868.

No. 403.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 77 of 1883, Lieutenant J. Strachey, Bengal S. C., Wing Officer, 11th Native Infantry, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India furlough (m. c.) for 243 days, under the ruling on rule VI of the regulations of 1875, with effect from the 18th March, 1883.

No. 404.—The undermentioned officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India:—

Major D. W. Inglis, General List, Infantry, (m. c.) for six months.

Captain H. M. Briscoe, Bengal S. C., (m. c.) for six months.

Conductor J. Key, Ordnance Department, (m. c.) for four months.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 405.—The following extract is published for general information :—

"London Gazette," dated the 12th June, 1883, page 3039.

"INDIA OFFICE;
12th June, 1883.

The Queen has approved of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major William Francis Badgley. Dated 4th April, 1883.

Major Francis William Grant. Dated 20th April, 1883.

Major Francis Newland Martin Maynard. Dated 20th April, 1883.

To be Majors.

Captain and Brevet Major George Masson Abbott. Dated 31st March, 1883.

Captain Alfred Nimmo Sandilands. Dated 31st March, 1883.

BENGAL ARMY.

Cavalry.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Francis Cosby Rochfort. Dated 4th April, 1883.

* * * *

ERRATUM.

The surname of the Officer of Bengal Staff Corps promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the *London Gazette* of the 11th May last is *Ollivant*, and not Olivant, as stated in the Gazette."

PENSIONS.

No. 406.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Senior Apothecary James Winn is transferred to the Pension establishment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 407.—WARRANT OFFICERS—

Conductor George Brady, Ordnance Department, Hyderabad Contingent, to be a Deputy Assistant Commissary.

No. 408.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

6th Punjab Infantry.

Subadar Narain Singh to be Subadar-Major, *vice* Jani Khan, invalided; Havildar Ghulam Mahomed to be Jemadar, *vice* Devi Singh, promoted,—1st May, 1883.

G. CHESNEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 9th July, 1883.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer, on the date specified, was received in the Military Department between the 29th May and 8th July, 1883 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
Army Medical Department	Surgeon C. M. Johnston ..	17th June, 1883	Cherat	...	...

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from the 21st May to the 8th July, 1883.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
Indian Military Service.					Rs. A. P.		
George Wallace (a) ...	Conductor ...	Public Works Department.	26th April, 1883	Intestate	338 5 8	...	...

(a)—*Widow*—Amelia Martha Wallace.
Children—Alice Maud Mabel Wallace, Catherine Elinor Blanche Wallace, Florence Harriette Ada Wallace, Charlotte Wright Lincoln Wallace, Marie Louise Wallace.
Mother—Mrs. Harriette Wallace.
9, St. Marks Road, Camberwell New Road, London.

E. H. H. COLLEN,
Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 10th July 1883.

No. 169.—Pundit Premnath, Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, temporary rank, is transferred from the Punjab Northern State Railway to the Indus Valley State Railway.

The 12th July, 1883.

No. 170.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 81, dated 6th April 1883, Mr. C. M. Davies, of the State Railway Locomotive Department in Class II of the Revenue Scale, is placed permanently at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, and Mr. C. E. Cardew, of the State Railway Locomotive Department in Class III of the Revenue Scale, is transferred from the establishment under the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, to that under the Director General of Railways.

W. S. TREVOR, *Colonel, R.E.,*

Secy. to the Govt. of India

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 15 OF 1883.

A Bill to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876.

1876. WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, with a view to provide for the better regulation of the passenger traffic between British India and ports in the Red Sea; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Preamble.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1883;

Commencement.

and it shall come into force on such day as the Governor General in Council directs by notification in the *Gazette of India*.

1876. Addition to section 11 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876.

2. After clause (*e*) of section 11 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, the following clause shall be added :—

"(*ee*) in the case of any ship sailing to any port in the Red Sea, that she is propelled principally by steam, and, if she is carrying more than one hundred passengers being Natives of Asia or Africa, that she has on board a medical officer licensed in accordance with rules to be made under this Act."

Substitution of new section for section 26 of the same Act.

3. For section twenty-six of the same Act, the following section shall be substituted :—

Bond where ship clears for port in Red Sea.

"26. In the case of every ship sailing from any port in British India to any port in the Red Sea, the officer whose duty it is to grant the clearance unless and until the owner, agent or master of the ship and two sureties resident in British India have executed in favour of the Secretary of State for India in Council a joint and several bond, for the sum of Rs. 5,000, conditioned—

"(*a*) that the ship shall touch at Aden on the outward voyage and there obtain a clean bill of health, and shall do the same on the homeward voyage if the ship continues to carry more than sixty passengers; and

"(*b*) that the master and medical officer (if any) of the ship shall comply with on the outward voyage, and also on the homeward voyage if the ship continues to carry more than sixty passengers, the provisions of this Act and of such rules relating to ships sailing between ports in British India and ports in the Red Sea as the Governor General in Council may, from time to time, make under section forty-six."

Amendment of section 27 of same Act.

4. In section twenty-seven of the same Act, for the word "thirty" the word "sixty" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 28 of the same Act.

5. To section twenty-eight of the same Act the following words shall be added :—"and the authority empowered to grant the same may refuse to grant a bill of health in the case of any ship on board of which the requirements of the rules made under section 46 are not complied with."

Addition of new sections after section 28 of same Act.

6. After section twenty-eight of the same Act, the following sections shall be added :—

Certain ships to carry medical officer.

"28A. Every ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea and carrying more than one hundred passengers being Natives of Asia or Africa shall have on board a medical officer licensed in accordance with rules to be made under this Act.

Certain ships to be propelled by steam.

"28B. Every ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea shall be propelled principally by

"28C. *(1)* The Governor General in Council may, from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, direct that no passenger of such class as may be specified in the notification shall be received on board any ship sailing from any port in British India to any port in the Red Sea unless and until he has obtained a certificate from a medical officer to be appointed by the Local Government in this behalf, to the effect that he has been examined by that officer and is not suffering from any dangerously infectious or contagious disease, and is in a fit state of health to undertake the voyage to the port in the Red Sea for which he is bound.

Power for Governor General in Council to issue notification requiring medical inspection in case of certain passengers.

(2) The Governor General in Council may cancel or alter, either in whole or in part, any notification which may at any time be issued under this section.

Addition of new sections after section 38 of same Act.

7. After section thirty-eight of the same Act, the following sections shall be added:—

"38A. If the master of any such ship as is referred to in section twenty-seven, or any medical officer in charge of any such ship, wilfully breaks, or omits or neglects to obey, any rule with regard to those ships made under section forty-six, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with both.

Penalty on master or medical officer of certain ships disobeying rules.

"38B. If any ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea and carrying more than one hundred passengers has not on board a medical officer as required by section 28A, the master of the ship shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with both.

Penalty on master of certain ships sailing without medical officer.

"38C. The owner and master of any ship sailing from or to any port in British India to or from any port in the Red Sea and not principally propelled by steam shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with both.

Penalty on owner and master of certain ships not propelled by steam.

"38D. If the master of any ship, while a notification under section 28C is in force, knowingly receives on board his ship any person in contravention of that notification, he shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to three months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for each person so received, or with both."

Penalty on master receiving passenger in contravention of a notification under section 28C.

8. After clause *(b)* of section forty-six of the same Act, the following clause shall be added:—

Additions to section 46 of same Act.

"*(bb)* the licensing and appointment of medical officers in cases where they are required, under this Act, to be carried";

and after clause *(e)* of the same section the following clauses shall be added:—

"*(ee)* the functions of the master, medical officer (if any) and other officers of the ship during the voyage;

"*(eee)* the access of intermediate or between decks passengers to the upper deck.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is to amend the Native Passenger Ships Act, VIII of 1876, with a view to provide for the better regulation of the pilgrim traffic between British India and Arabia. This traffic has formed the subject of correspondence between the Secretary of State, the Government of India and the various local maritime Governments in India. A careful consideration has brought the Government to the conclusion that the importance of the pilgrim traffic makes its detailed regulation imperative, and that, to secure uniformity of procedure, and thereby avoid the friction which must inevitably follow divergence between rules separately framed by different States, it is desirable that, in all the more important points, a common understanding should be come to among the Governments who are chiefly interested in the proper management of that traffic. The establishment of a practical coincidence between the general provisions of the local Turkish regulations and those of the law of India—the country which at present furnishes the largest number of pilgrims to the Hedjaz—can only be effected by diplomatic correspondence between the British and Turkish Governments. But, since experience has shown that the provisions of the Indian law as it at present stands are insufficient to meet the peculiar exigencies of this traffic, and that in some respects they require revision, it seems desirable, before attempting to bring about an assimilation of the British and Turkish laws, to make such amendments of our own law as are necessary to put it in a satisfactory state.

2. The Indian law on this subject is contained partly in the provisions of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, and partly in those of the rules framed under that Act. With a view to the amendment of the latter, the Government of India has already submitted to the Secretary of State a copy of a draft set of rules, which have been framed on the model of those regulating the transport of emigrants from India to the English and French colonies, and which it proposes to issue under the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, as rules regulating the conveyance of Native passengers between the ports of India and of the Hedjaz. With a view to the amendment of the former, the present Bill has been prepared.

3. Section 2 adds to section 11 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876, a provision requiring the certificate given under that section to contain in the case of a ship sailing to the Red Sea a declaration that she is propelled principally by steam, and when the ship carries more than 100 Native passengers a declaration that she has on board a licensed medical

officer. The effect of this will be that such ships will not be able to obtain a port-clearance (see section 9) unless they comply with these requirements.

4. Section 3 amends section 26 of the Act, by requiring the bond given under that section to be conditioned for the observance of the provisions of the Act and of such rules with regard to Native passenger ships sailing to the Red Sea as the Governor General in Council may make under section 46 of the Act. The object of this amendment is to enable the Government of India to enforce the observance of its rules beyond the limits of its jurisdiction.

5. The substitution (by section 4 of the Bill) of 60 for 30 as the number of passengers which must be on board a ship in order that section 27 of the Act may apply follows as a necessary consequence of the provision that all ships are to be propelled by steam (see section 2 of the Act).

6. Section 5 empowers the authorities at Aden to refuse a bill of health to a ship if the requirements of the rules are not complied with.

7. The sections (28A, 28B and 28C) which section 6 adds to the Act require every ship sailing to or from the Red Sea and carrying more than 100 Native passengers to have a licensed medical officer, and every Native passenger ship sailing to or from the Red Sea to be propelled principally by steam, and empower the Governor General in Council to issue a notification directing that no passenger of such description as may be specified in the notification shall be received on board any such ship until he has obtained a certificate from a prescribed medical officer certifying that he is not suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, and is in a fit state of health to proceed to the port to which he intends to proceed.

With regard to section 28A, the Government has no doubt that the presence of a medical officer on board will serve to diminish many of the hardships from which pilgrims now suffer, especially if he is by rule made responsible for seeing that the sanitary and dietary arrangements on board are properly managed, and if he is liable to be disqualified for any breach of duty on his own part. It may not always be possible to secure Muhammadan medical men for this service, but endeavours will be made to supply officers of that persuasion in preference to others. Section 28B speaks for itself. Section 28C may have to be enforced, at the instance of the European powers, as a precaution against the possible introduction of epidemic disease by Indian pilgrims into Arabia.

8. Section 7 imposes penalties for breaches of the requirements of the Bill.

9. Lastly, by section 8, certain words are added to section 46 of the Act to enable the Governor General in Council to make rules to regulate the licensing of medical officers and the functions of those officers and of the officers of the ship generally, and ensure to the passengers free access to the upper deck.

The 20th June, 1883. C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 16 OF 1883.

Note.—B. B. in the margin of this Bill refers to the Bill submitted by the Chief Commissioner.

A Bill to authorize the making and to regulate the working of Street Tramways in Rangoon.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the Municipal Committee of the Town of Rangoon, by an agreement dated the 22nd day of June, 1882, a copy whereof is set forth in the schedule annexed to this Act, granted, for the considerations therein expressed, to John William Darwood, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, hereinafter called the grantee, the right to construct, maintain and use a tramway or tramways in Rangoon upon the terms subject to the conditions and in the manner mentioned in the said agreement, but the said agreement was made subject to the confirmation thereof by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma and to the recognition thereof by an Act of the Governor General in Council;

and whereas the said agreement was, on the 13th day of November, 1882, confirmed by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma; and it is now expedient to recognise it and give effect to it, subject to the provisions and limitations hereinafter contained; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

A.—Preliminary.

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called the Rangoon Tramways Act, 1883; and it shall come into force at once.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Committee" means the Committee for the town of Rangoon appointed under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874.

1874.

"Tramway," means a tramway, or any part of a tramway, or any siding, turnout, connection, line or track belonging to a tramway.

"Street" means the way of any street, road, thoroughfare, passage or place along or across which any tramway authorised by this Act is or is intended to be laid, and includes the surface soil and subsoil of any such street, and the footway and drains of any such street, and any bridge, culvert or causeway forming part of any such street.

B.—Powers of Grantee generally.

Power to make, maintain and use tramways.

3. Subject to the provisions of this Act, and to the terms and conditions of the said agreement so far as the same are not inconsistent with this Act, the grantee may make, maintain and use any of the tramways for the construction, maintenance and use of which provision is made in the said agreement:

[B. B. 3, 4, 5, 6

Provided that any such tramway shall not be opened for public traffic until it has been inspected and certified by the engineer to the Committee to be fit for such traffic.

C.—Construction and Maintenance of Tramways and of Streets on which they are laid.

Power to grantee to break up streets.

4. Subject to the terms and conditions of the said agreement, the grantee may, from time to time, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining or renewing any tramway under this Act, open and break up any street, and therein or thereon lay sleepers and rails, and repair, alter or remove the same; and may, for the purposes aforesaid, do in and on any such street all other acts which may, from time to time, be necessary for constructing, maintaining or renewing the tramway.

[33 & c. 78, [B. B.,

Provided that he shall not, without the consent of the Committee, open or break up at any one time a greater length than one hundred yards of any street which does not exceed a quarter of a mile in length; and in the case of any street exceeding a quarter of a mile in length, he shall leave an interval of at least a quarter of a mile between any two places at which he may open or break up the street, and shall not open or break up at any such place a greater length than one hundred yards.

Grantee to keep the tramways and other part of street in repair.

5. The grantee shall, at his own expense, at all times maintain and keep in good condition and repair, in such manner as the Committee from time to time directs, all tramways constructed by him under this Act, and so much of any street as lies between the rails of any such tramway; and in the case of double lines or turnouts or sidings, the portion of the road between the tramways, and in every case so much of the road as extends eighteen inches beyond the rails of and on each side of any such tramway.

[33 & c. 78, [B. B.

Obligations of grantee when he has broken up street.

6. When the grantee has for the purposes of section 1 or section 5 opened or broken up any portion of a street, he shall be under the following further obligations, namely :—

(*a*) He shall, with all convenient speed, and in all cases within six weeks at the most, unless the Committee otherwise consent in writing, complete the work for which the street has been broken up, and fill in the ground, and make good the surface, and, to the satisfaction of the Committee, restore the street to as good a condition as that in which it was before it was opened or broken up, and clear away all surplus materials or rubbish occasioned thereby.

(*b*) He shall, in the meantime, cause the place where the street is opened or broken up, to be fenced and watched, and to be properly lighted at night, and,

(*c*) He shall make good all damage done to drains, sewers, water-pipes and gas-pipes, and to the wires or other materials or things used for any system of lighting, and whether belonging to the Committee, to the Government, or to private persons, and shall make compensation for any other damage done in the execution of the powers granted to him.

Reservation of Committee's power over streets.

7. *(1)* Nothing in this Act shall prevent the Committee from opening, breaking up, widening, altering, diverting or improving any street traversed by a tramway for the purposes for which they might otherwise under the law for the time being in force lawfully open, break up, widen, alter, divert or improve such street

Provided that—

(*a*) they shall cause as little detriment or inconvenience to the grantee as circumstances admit; and

(*b*) before they commence any work whereby the traffic on the tramway will be interrupted, they shall (except in cases of urgency, in which cases no notice shall be necessary) give to the grantee not less than eighteen hours previous notice of their intention to commence the work, specifying the time at which they will commence it.

(2) The Committee shall not be liable to pay to the grantee any compensation for injury done to the tramway by the execution of any work referred to in sub-section (1) or for loss of traffic occasioned by the reasonable exercise of their powers in connection with the same.

D.—Rights over Tramways and Streets on which they are laid.

Grantee's exclusive right over tramways.

8. The grantee shall subject to the provisions of this Act and to the terms and conditions of the said agreement, have the exclusive use of his tramways for carriages with flange wheels or other wheels suitable only to run on a grooved rail.

Provided that nothing in this Act shall affect

(*a*) The right of the public to pass along or across any part of any road, along or across which any tramway is laid, whether on or off the tramway with carriages not having flange wheels or wheels suitable to run on a grooved rail; or

(*b*) the right of the Commissioners for the Port of Rangoon, or of any other body or person entitled at the time of the commencement of this Act to work and maintain a tramway, to pass across any tramway constructed under this Act with carriages having flange wheels or wheels suitable to run on a grooved rail.

Grantee to have right of user only.

9. Notwithstanding anything in this Act, the grantee shall not acquire any right other than that of user of any street along or across which he lays any tramway. [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 57.] [B. B., s. 16.]

Power of Committee and police to regulate traffic on streets.

10. Nothing in this Act shall affect the powers of the Committee or the police to regulate the passage of any traffic along or across any street along or across which any tramway is laid down, and the Committee or police may exercise their authority as well on as off the tramway, and with respect as well to the traffic of the grantee as to the traffic of other persons. [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 61.] [B. B., s. 27.]

E.—Traffic on Tramways.

Rate of fares.

11. The grantee may, from time to time, by a notice published in such languages and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may prescribe, fix the rates of fares and charges for carrying passengers and goods in his carriages: [B. B., s. 9.] [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 45.]

Provided that the rates of passenger fares shall not exceed one anna per mile for each passenger in the lower class; and two annas per mile for each passenger in the higher or first class.

Mode of payment of fares.

12. The fares and charges by this Act authorized shall be paid to such persons at such places, upon or near to the tramways, and in such manner and under such regulations as the grantee may, by a notice published as aforesaid, from time to time prescribe. [B. B., s. 11.]

Carriage of dangerous or offensive goods.

13. *(1)* No person shall be entitled to carry or to require to be carried on any tramway constructed under this Act any goods of a dangerous or offensive nature. [B. B., s. 22.]

(2) Every person taking such goods with him on any such tramway shall before entering the carriage give notice of their nature to the servant of the grantee in charge of the carriage.

(3) Every person sending such goods by any such tramway shall distinctly mark their nature on the outside of the package containing them, or otherwise give notice thereof in writing to the book-keeper or other servant of the grantee with whom the same are left at the time of such sending.

(4) The grantee may refuse to take any parcel which he may suspect to contain goods of a dangerous or offensive nature, or require the same to be opened to ascertain the fact.

F.—Offences and Penalties.

Penalty for failure of grantee to comply with provisions of this Act.

14. If the grantee— [33 & 34 Vic., c. 78, s. 27.] [B. B., s. 18.]

(*a*) constructs or maintains any tramway, or runs any car or carriage thereon otherwise than in accordance with the said agreement;

(b) opens any tramway for traffic before it has been inspected and certified in manner required by section 3;

(c) opens or breaks up any street otherwise than as permitted by this Act, or having opened or broken up a street fails to discharge any of the obligations imposed on him by section 6, clauses (a) and (b); or

(d) fails to keep the rails of any tramway and the portions of the street adjoining the same in repair as required by section 5

he shall (without prejudice to the enforcement of specific performance of the requirements of this Act or of the said agreement or to any other remedy against him), on complaint of the Committee or of any person injuriously affected thereby, be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and in the case of a continuing offence to a further fine which may extend to fifty rupees for each day after the first day during which the offence continues to be committed.

[s. 18.] [Vic., 49.] Penalty for obstructing grantee in the exercise of his powers.

15. Any person who wilfully obstructs any person acting under the authority of the grantee in the lawful exercise of his powers in constructing, repairing or renewing a tramway, or injures or destroys any mark, made for the purpose of setting out the line of the tramway, shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

[s. 19.] [Vic., 50] Penalty for interfering with tramway.

16. Any person who without lawful excuse (the proof whereof shall lie on him) wilfully does any of the following things, namely,—

(a) interferes with, removes or alters any part of a tramway constructed under this Act or of the works connected therewith;

(b) does or causes to be done anything in such a manner as to obstruct any carriage using any such tramway; or

(c) knowingly aids or assists in the doing of such thing,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

[s. 22.] [Vic., 53.] Penalty for taking or sending dangerous or offensive goods without giving notice.

17. Any person taking or sending by any tramway any goods of a dangerous or offensive nature without giving the notice required by section 13 shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

[s. 20.] [Vic., 51.] Penalty for avoiding payment of proper fare.

18. If any person travelling or having travelled in any carriage of the grantee avoids or attempts to avoid payment of his fare, or if any person having paid his fare for a certain distance wilfully proceeds in any such carriage beyond that distance and does not pay the additional fare for the additional distance, or attempts to avoid payment thereof, or if any person wilfully refuses or neglects on arriving at the point to which he has paid his fare to quit the carriage, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to ten rupees.

[s. 21.] [Vic., 52.] Power of servant of grantee to arrest persons avoiding payment of fare.

19. Any servant of the Grantee, and any person called in by him for his assistance, may arrest and take to the nearest police-station any person who is discovered either in or after committing or attempting to commit an offence punishable under section 18, and whose name and residence is refused by him and is unknown to such servant or person, and the police-officer in charge of the police-station, on receiving a complaint that such an offence has been committed, shall adopt such legal measures as may be necessary to cause the accused person to be taken before a Magistrate with the least possible delay.

G.—Powers to make Rules.

Powers to make rules.

20. *(1)* The Committee in special meeting may, with the sanction of the Chief Commissioner, from time to time make such rules consistent with this Act as to the rate of speed, number of passengers, and mode of use of the tramways and as to the licensing and control of drivers, conductors and other persons having charge of the carriages of the grantee as the convenience and safety of the public may require. [B. B., ss. 24 & 25.] [33 & 34 V c. 78, ss. 46 & 48.]

(2) The grantee may, with the like sanction, from time to time, make rules consistent with this Act for preventing the commission of any nuisance in or upon any carriage, or in or against any premises belonging to him; and

for regulating the travelling in any carriage belonging to him.

(3) The authority making any rule under this section may prescribe as a punishment for the breach of it a fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

(4) All rules made under this section shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*.

H.—Miscellaneous.

Construction of clause 15 of agreement.

21. For the purpose of clause 15 of the agreement set forth in the schedule annexed to this Act, the want of sufficient funds shall not be deemed to be a circumstance beyond the control of the grantee. [B. B., s. 2 [33 & 34 V c. 78, s. 41

Exemption from certain municipal taxation.

22. The plant, rolling-stock and other vehicles, yards, workshops engine-sheds and depôts of the grantee shall, for a period of five years from the passing of this Act, be exempt from all municipal taxation except such lighting and water-rates as may from time to time be payable in respect of the yards, workshops, engine-sheds, and depôts. [B. B., s. 1

Provisions as to general Acts.

23. Nothing in this Act shall exempt the grantee or any tramway constructed by him under this Act from the provisions of any general enactment relating to tramways now in force or which may hereafter be passed. [Model tr ways Bill.]

SCHEDULE.

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT made this 22nd day of JUNE 1882 BETWEEN THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF RANGOON appointed under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, hereinafter called the said Committee, of the one part, and JOHN WILLIAM DARWOOD, of Rangoon, hereinafter called the said Grantee, of the other part. WHEREAS the said Committee have, subject to the confirmation thereof by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma and to the recognition of this Agreement by an Act of the Governor General of India in Council, agreed to grant to the said Grantee the right to construct, maintain and use a tramway or

tramways in Rangoon upon the terms and conditions hereinafter contained, NOW THESE PRESENTS WITNESS that in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained and on the part of the said Committee to be performed, the said Grantee for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns doth covenant with the said Committee, so far as the covenants and conditions hereinafter contained are to be performed by the said Grantee and his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and the said Committee, for and in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained and on the part of the said Grantee, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns to be performed, do hereby covenant with the said Grantee, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns so far as the covenants and agreements hereinafter contained are to be performed by the said Committee in manner following, that is to say :—

1. The said Committee grant to the said Grantee and his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, all which persons are hereinafter included in the words "the said Grantee," the right to construct, maintain and use a tramway or tramways, with single or double tracks or lines, and with all necessary sidings, turnouts, connections and lines, or tracks of whatever nature which may be required to connect the said tramway or tramways with the depots of the said Grantee (but in the case of sidings and turnouts, only in such places as the said Committee may sanction), on the following routes and between such other places and by such other routes as may be hereafter approved of by the said Committee :—

The tramways referred to and now authorised for construction subject to such confirmation as aforesaid are :—

I.—A tramway with a double track or line along China Street and Pagoda road from the Strand road at its junction with China street to the Shway Dagone Pagoda.

II.—A tramway with a double track or line along the Strand road from East street to West street.

III.—A tramway with a double track or line along Dalhousie street from East street to the junction of Dalhousie street with the Strand road.

IV.—A tramway with a double track or line along Sooday Pagoda road from the Strand road to Montgomery street and along Montgomery street to the Phayre street railway station and along Montgomery road to the iron bridge near the bázar at Poozoondoung.

V.—A tramway with a double track or line from the Strand road down Eer street to Shafraz road round the Public Buildings back into the Strand road.

2. When approved of and desired by the said Committee, tramways with such tracks or lines as may be approved of by the said Committee from East street to Monkey point and along the Upper and Lower Poozoondoung roads to Monkey point, and along Merchant street, Fraser street and Canal street, and along Lower Kemmendine road from the Strand road, Kemmendine, to the junction of West street with the Strand road.

3. The said tramway or tramways to be constructed and maintained in such form and manner and upon such gradient and with such gauge as the said Committee may approve, and the cars and carriages intended to run on the said rails shall be such as are approved of by the said Committee.

4. The cars and carriages of the Grantee on the tracks or lines of the said tramway shall, unless with the consent of the said Committee, be worked with steam power of the most approved engine of the time only, and the said Committee shall have power at all times to make such regulations as to the rate of speed and mode and use of the said tracks or lines as the convenience and safety of the public using the streets may require.

5. The said Grantee shall have power from time to time to fix the rate of fares for carrying persons and goods in the cars or carriages to be run on the said tramway or tramways, provided that the rates of fares shall for any distance not exceed the rate of one anna per mile for the lower class and two annas per mile for the higher or first class for each passenger.

6. The said Grantee may, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining such tramways under such superintendence as is hereinafter specified, open and break up the soil and metalled way of the several streets, roads and bridges in the city and thereon lay sleepers and rails, and from time to time repair, alter or remove the same, and may, for the purposes aforesaid, remove and use all earth and materials in such streets, roads and bridges, and the said Grantee may, in and on such streets, roads and bridges, do all other acts which he shall from time to time deem necessary for constructing and maintaining street tramways in the said city, doing as little damage as may be in the execution of the powers hereby granted, and shall make good all damage done to drains, sewers, water and gas pipes or to the wires or other materials or things used for any other system of lighting, and whether belonging to the said municipality or to private individuals, and shall make compensation for any other damage done in the execution of such powers.

7. Before the said Grantee proceeds to open or break up any street, road or bridge other than those referred to in sub-clauses from I to V in clause 1, he shall obtain the approval in writing of the said Committee to the tracks or lines of the said tramway being laid down on the said streets, roads or bridges, and the said Grantee, before opening or breaking up any street, road or bridge, shall give to the said Committee or their Executive Engineer, or other municipal officer duly appointed for that purpose, notice in writing of his intention to open or break up the same not less than three clear days before beginning such work, except in such cases of emergency arising from defects in any of the rails or other work, and then so soon as is possible after the beginning of the work or the necessity for the same shall have arisen.

8. No street, road or bridge shall, except in cases of emergency as aforesaid, be opened or broken up, except under the superintendence of the said Committee or of their Executive Engineer or of some other municipal officer duly appointed for that purpose, and according to such plans as shall be approved of by him or them: provided always that if the said Committee or their Engineer or other such officer as aforesaid fail to attend at the time fixed for the opening of any

such street, road or bridge after having had such notice of the said Grantee's intention as aforesaid, or shall not propose any plan for breaking up or opening the same, or shall refuse or neglect to superintend the operation, the said Grantee may perform the work specified in such notice without such superintendence as aforesaid.

9. When the said Grantee opens or breaks up the roadway or pavement of any street, road or bridge, he shall with all convenient speed complete the work for which the same shall be broken up, and fill in the ground and make good the roadway or pavement so opened or broken up as aforesaid, and carry away the rubbish occasioned thereby and deposit the same for the use of the said Committee at such place as the Executive Engineer of the said municipality shall direct, and shall at all times whilst any such roadway or pavement shall be so opened or broken up cause the same to be guarded, and shall cause a light sufficient for the warning of passengers to be set up and maintained against or near such roadway or pavement where the same shall be open or broken up every night during which the same shall continue open or broken up.

10. If the said Grantee opens or breaks up any street, road or bridge without giving such notice as hereinbefore mentioned or in a manner different from that which shall have been approved of or determined as aforesaid except in the cases in which the said Grantee is hereby authorized to perform such work without any superintendence or notice, or if the said Grantee shall make any unnecessary delay in completing any such work or in filling in the ground or reinstating and making good, so far as is consistent with the existence of the said tramway, the roadway or pavement so opened or broken up, or in carrying away the rubbish occasioned thereby, or if he neglect to cause the place where such roadway or pavement has been broken up to be guarded and lighted, he shall forfeit to the said Committee a sum not exceeding fifty (50) rupees for every such offence, and he shall forfeit an additional sum not exceeding fifty (50) rupees for each day during which any such delay or neglect as aforesaid shall continue after he shall have received notice thereof.

11. The said Grantee shall maintain and keep in repair such portion of the streets, roads and bridges in the City of Rangoon as shall be occupied by his tracks or lines, including therein not only the space between his tracks or lines but a space eighteen inches on either side thereof, and in consideration of the maintenance of such streets, roads and bridges as aforesaid, and of the yearly rent hereinafter mentioned to be paid by the Grantee, the plant, rolling-stock and other vehicles, yards, workshops, engine-sheds and depôts of the said Grantee shall be exempt from municipal taxation for a period of five years, except lighting and water-rates for such yards, workshops, engine-sheds and depôts.

12. The said Grantee shall be liable for any loss, damage or injuries that any person or persons may sustain by reason of any defect or want of repairs in any of the plant, rolling-stock or other properties of the said Grantee, or by reason of any carelessness, neglect or misconduct of his agents or servants in the management, construction or use of the said tramways or any portion thereof, or in the exercise of the power given by clauses 6, 7, 8, and 11; the same shall be made good by the said Grantee, and in the event of any suit being instituted against the said Committee in respect of any of the matters hereinbefore mentioned, the said Grantee shall, within fourteen days from the receipt of a notice thereof from the said Committee, settle the same; but if the said Grantee choose to defend such suit, he shall be at liberty to do so upon his undertaking to indemnify the said Committee against all losses, damages and expenses in respect thereof: provided always that, if the said Grantee fail to settle such suit or to indemnify the said Committee as hereinbefore provided, it shall be lawful for the said Committee to settle the same without any consent or concurrence on the part of the said Grantee, and the sums which they shall have to pay in making such settlement, together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from the date of payment, and with all expenses which they may be put to, shall be recoverable as a debt from the said Grantee.

13. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to prevent the said Committee from taking up any of the public streets or roads traversed by the said tramway for the purposes for which the said Committee may lawfully take up the same, and that the said Grantee shall have no right to claim cost from the said Committee for obstructing the tramway or causing delay in the traffic so long as the delay shall not be unreasonable for the work to be performed.

14. If the said Committee shall hereafter alter the level of any street, road or bridge along or across which any tramway by this agreement authorized is laid or authorized to be laid, the Grantee shall alter or (as the case may be) lay his rails to suit the altered level of such street, road or bridge, provided always that any such alteration as aforesaid shall be so made as to interfere as little as possible with the safe and convenient working of the said tramways, and in any case so as not to stop or prevent the free use or working thereof.

15. If at any time after the opening of any tramway for traffic the said Grantee shall discontinue the working of such tramway or any part thereof for the space of six calendar months (such discontinuance not being occasioned by circumstances beyond the control of the said Grantee), it shall be lawful for the said Committee, without any previous notice to the said Grantee, to remove the tramway or part of the tramway so discontinued, and the said Grantee shall pay to the said Committee the cost of such removal and of the making good of the street, road or bridge, and the certificate of the said Committee or of their Engineer as to such cost shall be conclusive.

16. The provisions of this agreement shall remain and be in force for a term not less than twenty-one (21) years from the date thereof. The said Committee shall have the right of purchasing the said tramways with the plant, stores, rolling-stock, sheds, depôts and yards, and everything connected therewith after the expiration of the said twenty-one (21) years upon declaring its intention so to do within six months after the expiration of the said twenty-one (21) years; the amount to be paid in the event of such purchase shall be the actual *bonâ fide* value at the termination of this agreement exclusive of any compensation for goodwill, premium on compulsory sale or other consideration whatever of the tramways and of the work and materials connected therewith

and of the lands and buildings and all other the property of the Grantee, such value to be decided by mutual agreement or by arbitration as hereinafter provided.

17. The provisions hereinbefore contained shall, so far as applicable, apply to all tramways to be constructed by the said Grantee by any route or routes to be hereafter sanctioned by the said Committee and to the works connected with or incidental to such tramways, it being agreed that in the event of the municipality failing to declare its intention as above provided to purchase the property of the said Grantee the terms of this contract shall continue in force during the period of six months from the date of the determination of these presents and for a further period of six months, and if the said Committee shall not within that time exercise the option of purchase hereby given, the said Committee and the said Grantee shall enter into a fresh agreement.

18. The said Grantee will, if required by the said Committee before opening up the roadway of any street, road or bridge, deposit with the Bank of Bengal in the name of the said Committee the sum of rupees five thousand (5,000) or, in their option, promissory notes of the Government of India of the nominal value of rupees five thousand (5,000), and the same will remain so deposited until the completion by the said Grantee of the abovementioned lines of tramway herein sanctioned for construction. All interest accruing on the said sum, or the said notes, shall be credited to the said Grantee, and, subject as next hereinafter mentioned, be paid to him as the same accrues due. The said Committee shall be entitled to deduct all fines recoverable by the said Committee and all monies to which they may be entitled under any clause or clauses of these presents out of the sum so deposited, or the interest accruing on the said sum or notes, or out of the proceeds of sale of a portion of the said notes on completion of the tramways herein sanctioned for immediate construction.

19. In consideration of the concession herein granted, the said Grantee undertakes on behalf of himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns that he will pay to the said Committee a yearly rent of rupees three thousand (3,000) per mile of double track or line and rupees two thousand (2,000) per mile of single track or line, payable half-yearly; the date on which such rent on each line of tramway shall begin to accrue shall be the date on which such line of tramways is open for public traffic.

20. It is agreed that the tramway or tramways from the Strand road along Barr street and Shafraz road round the Public Buildings and back to the Strand road should not be included, and that no sidings, turnouts or tracks necessary to connect the traffic lines with the carriage-sheds, engine-sheds, factories, depôts, yards or other property or properties of the said Grantee shall be included in the mileage on which rent is to be paid, the tramway or tramways more particularly described in this paragraph, and such sidings, turnouts and necessary connecting tracks or lines, being free of rent.

21. The sleepers, rails, materials and implements, and other erections placed and erected by the said Grantee on the streets, bridges or roads under the powers hereby granted shall be and remain the property of the said Grantee, and the said Grantee shall have the exclusive use of his tramway or tramways for carriages with flanged wheels or other wheels suitable only to run on the prescribed rail.

22. The prescribed rail is that known as the box-rail introduced by Mr. Robinson Souttar, to be made of Bessemer steel of the weight of sixty pounds to the yard, or such other rail of such weight as may be approved by the said Committee.

23. The said Grantee shall have the exclusive right of laying and using tramways within the limit of the Rangoon Municipality on the terms herein stated, but in the event of the said Grantee refusing to lay down any line when the said Committee may consider it necessary, the said Committee shall be at liberty to grant the right of laying and using such line to any other party.

24. Unless the said Grantee shall have commenced the work of laying down the said tramways within twelve months from the date of the execution of these articles of agreement, the said Committee shall be at liberty to cease and determine this contract and to enter into arrangements with any other person or persons for the construction of tramways, it being agreed, however, that these conditions of contract are subject to the sanction of Government, and that, in the event of their being executed prior to such sanction being given, the said 12 months shall date from the day on which notice of such sanction is given to the said Grantee, provided also that any delay in commencing the work beyond 12 months shall not have been due to any cause beyond the control of the said Grantee.

25. If any doubt, difference or dispute shall arise between the said Grantee and the said Committee touching the construction of these presents or anything herein contained, or touching or concerning any other matter or thing relating to these presents, then and in every such case such doubt, difference or dispute shall be referred to the arbitration of two persons, one to be chosen by the said Grantee and the other by the said Committee within one calendar month after either of them shall have made to the other a requisition to that effect, and should the arbitrators fail to agree, they shall refer the question or questions at issue to the decision of an umpire to be chosen by the said arbitrators, and the decision of such arbitrators if they agree, or of such umpire if they disagree, shall be final; and in case either party shall neglect or refuse to appoint an arbitrator within the specified time, the arbitrator appointed by the other party shall make a decision alone, and the decision of such arbitrators, umpire or arbitrator, as the case may be, shall be effectual and binding upon both parties.

26. The said Grantee is to be at liberty to form a Company or Limited Liability Company for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and working the tramways authorized by or hereafter to be authorized under the terms of this agreement. The words "the said Grantee" used in this agreement shall include such Company or Limited Liability Company so formed as aforesaid.

27. The words "the said Committee" used in this agreement shall include the present Committee and their successors, and also persons empowered by the said Committee or their successors or by other duly constituted authority to do any act or thing or exercise any powers or authorities which the said Committee are hereinbefore authorized or empowered to do or exercise.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

ON the 22nd June, 1882, the Municipal Committee of Rangoon entered into an agreement with Mr. J. W. Darwood, by which they conferred upon him the exclusive right to construct and work public tramways within the limits of the municipality, and arranged with him for the construction and working of certain specified tramways and of such others as might from time to time be determined on.

2. An agreement of this description, it need hardly be said, requires to be supported and supplemented by legislation. Statutory powers are needed by the grantee of the concession to enable him to exercise with safety the powers over the public streets which the agreement purports to confer on him. Statutory penalties must be provided, in order, on the one hand, to impose an efficient check on the abuse of those powers and enforce the conditions upon which they are conferred, and, on the other, to prevent any improper interference with the exercise of them.

3. It is further desirable to fix by a legislative enactment a maximum limit to the fares to be charged, and to provide a penalty for evading the payment of fares and empower the servants of the grantee in certain cases to arrest persons charged with this offence.

4. Lastly, it is desirable to confer upon the municipal authority and upon the grantee a power to make rules regarding the working and use of the tramways, and to impose a small pecuniary penalty for the breach of such rules.

5. The above are the principal matters provided for in the present Bill, which, it should be stated, has been prepared on the principle of restricting the action of the legislature to those points for which the agreement does not sufficiently provide. The only other matters to which attention need here be directed are, first, that the carriage of goods of a dangerous or offensive nature is placed by the Bill under very much the same species of control as the carriage of dangerous goods is by the Railway Act; and secondly, that, in consideration of the grantee being obliged to keep a considerable portion of the roadways in repair, his premises and rolling-stock are exempted for five years from all municipal taxation, except lighting and water rates.

C. P. ILBERT.

The 20th June, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

[Third publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 20th June, 1883, and was referred to a Select Committee on the 27th idem :—

No. 17 OF 1883.

A Bill for the protection of Inventions exhibited in the Exhibitions of India.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient that such protection as is hereinafter mentioned should be afforded to the inventors of new manufactures who are desirous of exhibiting them at Exhibitions to be held in India; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

Commencement.

1. This Act may be called the Protection of Inventions Act, 1883; and it shall come into force at once.

Act to be read with Act XV of 1859.

2. It shall be read with and taken as part of Act XV of 1859 (*for granting exclusive privileges to inventors*).

Inventions exhibited when to be deemed new though publicly used or made publicly known.

3. If, within six months from the time of the opening of an International Exhibition, a person, being the inventor and exhibitor of any manufacture exhibited at that Exhibition, petitions the Governor General in Council under Act XV of 1859, for leave to file a specification of his invention, the circumstance that the invention has at any time after the opening of the Exhibition been publicly used or made publicly known shall not prevent the invention being deemed to have been at the time of presenting the petition a new invention for the purposes of the said Act. [cf. Vic. 2.]

Meaning of term "International Exhibition."

4. In this Act, "International Exhibition" means the International Exhibition to be held in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four at Calcutta, and any Exhibition to be held in India which the Governor General in Council may, upon the application of any persons desirous of holding the Exhibition, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be, in the judgment of the Governor General in Council, calculated to promote Indian art or industry, and to prove beneficial to the mercantile, agricultural or industrial classes of Her Majesty's subjects in India. [cf. Vic. 3.]

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THIS Bill has been prepared in view of the forthcoming International Exhibition which it is proposed to hold in Calcutta next cold weather. It has been brought to the notice of Government that the want of some such protection as the Bill affords might probably deter inventors of unpatented inventions from sending them, and thus prevent the exhibition of some interesting exhibits.

2. It has been found necessary in England, and also, it is believed, in the Australian colonies, to legislate on this subject.

The Bill is drawn on the model of the Protection of Inventions Act, 1870 (33 & 34 Vic., cap. 27), but necessarily differs from it in details, inasmuch as the system of protection to inventions in force in this country differs from that in force in England in many respects, and, among others, in permitting an inventor to use his invention, or allow others to use it, publicly for a year without losing his right to protection. The effect of the Bill, if it becomes law, may be shortly stated to be that, if an inventor exhibiting his invention applies within six months from the opening of the exhibition for leave to file a specification, the circumstance of the invention having been publicly used or publicly made known after the opening of the exhibition will not affect his rights.

3. To prevent the necessity for similar legislation in the case of other exhibitions which may hereafter be held, section 4 of the Bill defines the term "International Exhibition" as meaning, not only the contemplated "International Exhibition" to be held at Calcutta, but any exhibition to be held in India which the Governor General in Council may, upon the application of any persons desirous of holding the exhibition, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be, in the judgment of the Governor General in Council, calculated to promote Indian art or industry, and to prove beneficial to the mercantile, agricultural or industrial classes of Her Majesty's subjects in India.

The 20th June, 1883.

C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEASURES TO PREVENT FREQUENT CHANGES IN THE PERSONNEL OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF OF A PROVINCE.

No. $\frac{24}{886\text{-}96}$.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department (Public),—dated Simla, the 6th July 1883.

Read the undermentioned papers on the subject of certain proposed alterations in the Civil furlough rules:—

Home Department Resolution Nos. 33—1343-1354, dated 7th September 1882.

Financial Despatch to Secretary of State No. 299, dated 26th September 1882.

Financial Despatch from Secretary of State No. 66, dated 22nd February 1883.

RESOLUTION.

In the Resolution of the 7th September 1882, the Government of India intimated to Local Governments the result of the reference made to them a year previously, as to the practical working of the rule under which officers absent on furlough retain a lien on their appointments. It was stated that the Governor General in Council had found no sufficient reason for the withdrawal of that concession, but that at the same time there could be no doubt that in some provinces changes among the administrative, and especially among the district, staff had been more frequent than was at all desirable; and it was said that something should be done to check this tendency where it existed, partly by amendment of the rules in some points of minor detail, and partly by the adoption in all Local Administrations of a settled line of policy in working the rules. Much could, it was believed, be done by making proper arrangements for regulating the posting of officers on their return from furlough; and the general principle by which the Government of India desired that Local Governments should be guided in this matter was that private and personal considerations should always give way to public interests; and that every endeavour should be made to avoid unnecessary disturbance of existing arrangements. In these views of the Government of India the Secretary of State has now intimated his general concurrence, remarking that, while it is undesirable to lay down any general rule as to the length of time during which an officer should remain in one district, or as to the considerations which should guide the several Governments in posting officers on their return from furlough, the arrangements of Government must always be regulated with reference to the requirements of the public service at the time. The Governor General in Council trusts that Local Governments will in future see that full effect is given to these instructions of Her Majesty's Secretary of State. It was not the intention of the Government of India in the Resolution of September last to lay down any hard-and-fast rule as to the maximum term during which an officer should be retained in a district. Local Governments must of course be guided in deciding such matters by a consideration of what is best for the public interests, but it should not be forgotten that, while frequent changes are bad, an officer may yet be left too long in a district, and that it may sometimes be best both for himself and for the district administration to make a change.

2. It was further proposed in the Resolution of September 1882 that Local Governments should have the power to require an officer to regulate the precise term of his leave to suit the public requirements, *i.e.*, that an officer should be compelled to take less or more leave (within reasonable limits) than he applies for, on penalty of his forfeiting a lien on his appointment if he declined to accept the arrangement. Upon this the Secretary of State remarks: "The Government should certainly have the power of refusing an officer the full leave for which he applies, if there is reason to think that the grant of that precise amount will be prejudicial to the public interests; but I do not think that an officer should ever be required to take more leave than he desires, or that he should, if prepared to pay the penalty of forfeiting the lien on his appointment or his claim to a similar one, have the right of taking an amount of leave (whether less or more) which would be inconvenient to the Government." The Governor General in Council desires that effect may be given to this view which practically enables the Local Government to insist on leave being taken in the manner most consistent with the interests of the Public Service. The point has been made clear in the Civil Leave Code by the insertion of the note under section 4 of the code, published in the Financial Department Notification No. 1333, dated 7th June 1883.

3. In paragraph 6 of the Resolution of September 1882, it was stated that a recommendation would be made to the Secretary of State that the period of a Civil Servant's residence in India entitling him to his first furlough should be reduced from eight to five years. It has now been decided that no change shall be made in the furlough rules on this point.

4. The Secretary of State has approved of the principle of imposing a check on the abuse of the leave rules by recurring grants of furlough on medical certificate to which attention was drawn in paragraph 7 of the Resolution of the 7th September last. The best mode of effecting this is still under consideration.

5. Lastly, the Secretary of State agrees to the proposal made by the Government of India that (except in very special cases) extensions of leave should not be granted in England, unless the applicants produce evidence that the Governments under which they are employed have no objection to such extension. This point has been provided for by the revised rule I under Section 77 of the Civil Leave Code, published in Financial Department Notification No. 1333, dated 7th June 1883.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Local Governments and Administrations noted on the margin for information and guidance, and that a copy be forwarded to the Department of Finance for information, and that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Madras.	Central Provinces.
Bombay.	British Burma.
Bengal.	Assam.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	Coorg.
Punjab.	Hyderabad.

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 10th JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Rain in varying quantities, heaviest on the south-west and north-east coasts, has fallen throughout the Madras Presidency. In Mysore the fall is still insufficient for standing crops, but Coorg has received a plentiful supply.

The rains over the districts of the Bombay Presidency, Berars, Central India, and Rajputana have, with few exceptions, been favourable and sufficient. In Guzerat the fall has been heavy; river floods have caused great damage in Surat, and a break is required. The Indus is rising in Sind, and prospects have improved. Parts of the Southern Mahratta Country are still in need of more rain. A break would be beneficial in Indore, but rain is beginning to be urgently wanted in Marwar in Rajputana where the tanks are all dry and water is obtained with great difficulty.

In Burma and Assam the weather continues favourable, but for the time of the year the rainfall is below average, particularly in the former province. The cessation of heavy rain in Bengal noticed last week has become more marked, the average fall being under two inches, except in Orissa and at Calcutta and Hazaribagh. Heavy and seasonable rain has fallen throughout the Central Provinces. The North-Western Provinces and Oudh have also received a moderate supply during the week, but more is required in several districts. Rain still holds off in the Punjab, hardly any having fallen between Delhi and Amritsar; elsewhere the fall has averaged under an inch and a half.

Harvesting is still in progress in Madras and Mysore. The rice crops of the districts on the west coast are being weeded and transplanted and promise well. Ploughing and sowing for the *kharif* continue everywhere, but are backward in parts of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Punjab for want of rain. In Assam and Bengal the prospects of the rice crops are on the whole favourable, but more rain is necessary to admit of transplanting on high lands in Bengal. Harvesting of jute and early rice has commenced in a few places in the latter province, and the condition of standing crops of jute, indigo, and sugarcane is satisfactory.

Some damage has been done to crops in Surat by the floods, and danger from a similar cause is apprehended in Orissa where the rains have been heavy. Locusts continue to threaten the crops of several districts of the Bombay Presidency, and their appearance is also reported in one of the Central India States.

Fever is generally prevalent, and the mortality from cholera is still severe in Poona and Ahmednagar in Bombay and Wardha in the Central Provinces.

Prices are for the most part stationary, with a tendency to rise in the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 11th)		
Bellary ...	·54 (average of seven stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest ready, yield average.
Kurnool ...	1·51 (average of eight stations).	Small-pox in one and cattle-disease in six taluks.
Ganjam ...	4·13 (average of seventeen stations).	One case of cholera.
Kistna ...	·38 (average of seven stations).	Fever, small-pox, guinea-worm, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	2·26 (average of eleven stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest *kar*, paddy, &c., yield half; small-pox in two taluks; cholera in two villages; cattle-disease slight in one taluk.
Coimbatore ...	·55 (average of three stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest *cholum* in parts, yield average; 2 deaths from cholera in one taluk; fever in one taluk.
Tanjore ...	·97 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops generally good; 5 deaths from cholera; rinderpest slight in one taluk.
Madura ...	·93 (average of five stations).	Standing crops generally fair except in one taluk; harvest dry crops in parts; cholera slight in parts of one taluk.
Malabar ...	3·82 (average of fourteen stations).	First crop progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in nine taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts, latter slight.
Travancore ...	·529	Paddy plants being weeded and in good condition; fever prevails. *General Remarks.*—General prospects good.
Bombay—(July 11th)		
Kurrachee ...	1·67; average of twelve other stations, 1·47.	One case of small-pox still remaining in Kurrachee, no fresh cases since 28th June, disease in eight villages in districts, 22 fresh cases, 1 death, 13 remaining sick; river at Kotri on 9th 15 feet 3 inches, 2 inches lower than on same date last year; fever in seven talukas *kharif* preparations in progress; wheat, red rice, and *bajri* in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 38, in Schwan 32 and 40, in Ghorabari 20, 32 and 40, and in Shahbandar 20, 40 and 44 lbs. per rupee respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in eight talukas, average fall ·85.	River rising at last; small-pox in eight and fever in one taluka; prices of food-grains steady since last week.
Ahmedabad ...	6·47	Total rainfall 11·89; sowings progressing; wheat 26½ and *bajri* 30 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	10·48	Total rainfall 21·37; sowing operations commenced everywhere, including Amreli; health good; *bajri* 27 and rice 24 lbs. per rupee.
Surat ...	6·01	Total rainfall 25·34, break wanted; much damage to property in city and to property and crops in Chorasi by recent flood; transplanting of rice in some talukas; fever in Bulsar and Pardi; *juari* 41 and *nagli* 43 lbs. per rupee.

Residency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
nbay—*contd.*		
asik ...	Heavy rain throughout the district.	Small-pox in Nasik and Sinnar; cholera still prevails in most talukas; transplanting of *nagli* and *juari* in progress in Dangi villages, completed in others; locusts damaging *nagli* and rice crops; prices stationary.
olaba (Bombay) ...	Rain every day, heavy on 7th, 8th and 9th; total of week 13·0.	Total rainfall up to date 27·80, being ·03 above average; abnormal temperature from 1° warm to 2° cool; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind south-easterly till 6th, afterwards north-westerly, strong on 4th.
'oona ...	Maximum 2·46; minimum ·32.	697 cholera cases, 290 fatal; sowing nearly completed; *bajri* 37 and *juari* 45 lbs. per rupee, in Poona *bajri* 32 and *juari* 39 lbs. per rupee.
hmednagar ...	1·62 in Parner; 1·55 in Rahuri; 1·20 in Jamkhed; 1·11 in Kopergaon; 1·02 in Akola; in the remaining talukas from ·29 in Nagar to ·99 in Newasa.	Sowing of *kharif* in progress in all the talukas, except Parner, Kopergaon, and Akola; cattle-disease to a slight extent in Parner; cholera in all talukas, 1,748 cases, 873 deaths; *bajri*—maximum 51 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 33 lbs. in Rahuri; *juari*—maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 48 lbs. in Rahuri.
holapur ...	·22	Total rainfall 12·90; *kharif* sowings continue; *juari* 59 and *bajri* 52 lbs per rupee; 160 cholera cases, 68 deaths.
harwar ...	Maximum at Hangal, 1·42; at Dharwar, 1·31; at Mugud, ·82; Mundargi, *nil*; at all other stations, less than ·50.	Rain urgently required at Navalgund, Nargund, Gadag, Mundargi, and Rannibennur; sowing of *juari* begun in some places; rice crop good, except in Kaladgi where it has been eaten up by insects, and fields are being sown afresh; ague prevails in Mugud and Mandargi pettas; *juari* 56 and rice 30 lbs. per rupee.
anara ...	In Karwar, 5·61; in Kumpta, 2·67; in Sirsi, 3·53; in Hallial, 1·06.	Transplanting and weeding continue, also sowing in some places above ghat; rice plants and garden crops healthy; small-pox in Karwar, Hallial, and Kumpta, 2 deaths; in Bhathal petta 1, and Sirsi 2; slight fever throughout the district; common rice in Karwar 12 seers per rupee, in district average 13½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	2·64	Total rainfall 12·70, weather cloudy; health good; cholera in some parts of Halar; *bajri* 28 and *juari* 33 lbs. per rupee; the heavy rain in some parts of Halar has caused damage to houses.
		General Remarks.—Rain throughout the Presidency and Sind, heavy in Guzerat, but wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; river rising in Sind; sowing in general progress, as also transplanting of rice; locusts in Nasik, Khandesh, Tanna, Colaba, and Ratnagiri; cholera in Nasik, Poona, Ahmednagar, Khandesh, and Tanna; cattle-disease in a few places.
engal—(July 11th)		
Chittagong ...	·78	Weather seasonable; transplanting of *aus* rice nearly over; sowings of *amun* rice actively going on; prospects fair; prices stationary; sporadic cholera and cattle-disease continue; fever abating.
Dacca ...	1·74	Transplanted and *shail* rice being sown; *aus* being harvested; jute has been to a great extent destroyed by worms, and crops to a certain extent by the sudden rise of water in the Nawabgunge station.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta)	3·99	Prospects of *aus* and *amun* crops good; transplanting of *amun* rice on low lands going on, and high lands being prepared for it; price of common rice stationary; public health good.
Moorshedabad ...	1·03	Prospects of crops continue to be favourable; transplanting of *amun* rice has commenced in some places; average price of rice 19 seers per rupee; health generally good.
Rajshahye ...	1·21; slight rain	More rain wanted at an early date; crops rather backward for want of rain.
Burdwan ...	0·6	Rain much wanted in Cutwa sub-division where agricultural operations are at a standstill, insufficient rain in Culna sub-division; elsewhere transplanting in progress; public health fair.
Rungpore ...	·06	Prospects of crops good; some cholera still in the district.
Bhagálpur ...	·26	Prospects good; rice 17 seers 10 chittacks per rupee.
Purneah ...	1·63	Prospects of crops good; indigo manufacture commenced; common rice 18 seers per rupee; public health good; rivers falling.
Patna ...	·76	Prospects of crops good; ploughing and sowing going on; *makai* germinated in some places.
Durbhunga ...	·42	Low lands still under water, high lands dry; transplanting checked; rain wanted; cholera greatly diminished, but breaks out sometimes in places; prices stationary; health good.
Hazáribágh ...	4·59; ample rain during the week.	Weather seasonable; prospects of *bhadoi* and early rice favourable; general health good.
Cuttack ...	5·54	Rivers falling; rice growing well; prices unchanged; public health generally good.
		General Remarks.—More or less rain fell during the week in all the districts of Bengal; in a few places agricultural operations are retarded for want of sufficient rain; prospects of the crops on the whole are favourable; in a few places early rice and jute are being harvested; transplanting of *amun* rice on low lands is progressing, and high lands are being prepared and awaiting more rain for transplanting operations; sugarcane, jute, and other crops are doing well; *bhadoi* crops are doing well; some damage is anticipated in Orissa in consequence of high floods and breaches in embankments; public health generally good, though in a few places cholera and fever are still prevalent; cattle-pox in Gya.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 11th)	·6	Weather cloudy; some *kharif* crops sown; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ „)	2·8 average in all parganas on 6th; ·8 at Sadr on 10th.	More rain wanted; ploughing and sowing begun all over district; cholera increased; prices slightly risen.
Gorakhpur („ 9th)	2·0	Sky generally cloudy; *kharif* sowings in progress; no cholera; prices steady.
Jhansi („ „)	3·4; Mau, ·7; Moth, 4·4.	Ploughing and sowing in progress; prices fluctuating; health good.
Agra („ „)	·6 to 2·4 in all parganas.	*Kharif* sowings in progress; fever in two and small pox in one pargana; sporadic cholera in four parganas; prices rising slightly.
Bareilly („ 10th)	Rain over most of the district on the 9th instant.	Sowings going forward; prices tending to rise; health remains good.
Meerut („ „)	2·8; Ghaziabad, ·7; Hapur, ·8; drizzle in Sardhana; very insufficient rain so far.	*Kharif* crops are being sown where there is sufficient moisture; weather hot, wind easterly; prices showing a further tendency to rise.
Kumaun („ „)	Fair rain in all parts of district, except in neighbourhood of Almora where scarcely any rain has fallen.	Crop prospects good; health fair; cattle-disease still continues; prices stationary.
Lucknow („ „)	1·9; Malihabad, 2·1; Mohanlalganj, 1·4.	Wind variable; *kharif* sowings in progress; prices steady; cholera disappearing.
Partabgarh („ „)	Sadr, 2·5; Khandwa, 3·3; Patti, 2·7.	Land being ploughed for *kharif* sowings; rice sown here and there; general health good; prices almost stationary.
Sitapur („ „)	1·0	Rainfall sufficient to prevent much harm, but rice sowings arrested in many places.
Fyzabad („ „)	Tahsil Bekapur, 1·9; Tanda, ·7; Akbarpur, 1·0.	Sowing of *kharif* crops nearly completed; small-pox and fever in parts of district; condition of cattle fair.
Cawnpore („ „)	·6 to 4·1 on 6th	A few cases of cholera; *kharif* sowings in progress; prices almost stationary.
Farukhabad („ „)	Rain slight in three tahsils.	Weather clear and cloudy; ploughing and sowing commenced; condition of people fair.
Rae Bareli („ 9th)	Good rain on 6th, average 2·5.	Sky cloudy; ploughing and sowing for *kharif* in progress; cholera abating; prices stationary.
		General Remarks.—Rain fell in all reporting districts during the week; ploughing and sowing are in progress, but several districts complain of the insufficiency of the rain, and the rice sowings have been stopped in Sitapur in consequence; cholera appears to be abating; prices are stationary in most districts, but are rising in a few.
Punjab—(July 10th)		
Delhi ...	·03	Health fair; prices fluctuating.
Hissar ...	.....	Weather cloudy; rain much needed; prices rising; sporadic cholera in Jhajjar tahsil; general health everywhere good.
Umballa ...	.....	No report received.
Jullundur ...	No rain	Health good; prices stationary.
Amritsar ...	Slight rain	Health good; prices stationary.
Sialkot ...	1·0	Health good; prices stationary.
Ferozepore ...	1·0	Health good; slight rise in prices.
Lahore ...	Slight rain	Twenty-five cases of cholera; prices steady.
Rawalpindi ...	·6	Health good; prices falling.
Mooltan ...	1·4	Health good; prices steady.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	·4	Health good; *rabi* harvesting over; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	1·3	Health good; prices rising
		General Remarks.—Moderate rain in nearly every district, but more needed; health good, except in the Delhi and Lahore districts; *kharif* sowings in progress.
Central Provinces—		
Nagpur ...	2·85; heavy rain in early part of the week.	Weather cloudy and wet; cotton and *tur* being sown; cholera slight; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	3·88	Weather wet and cloudy; sowing progressing; small-pox lingering; wheat 21 and rice 14 seers per rupee.
Saugor ...	3·49	Sowings general; early sowings have germinated in places; prices steady; health good.
Seoni (July 10th)	14·16	Weather cloudy and wet; sowings progressing; 17 deaths from cholera; prices stationary.
Hoshangabad ...	5·28; heavy rain on 9th.	Weather cloudy and wet; *kharif* sowings continue; 2 deaths from small-pox; wheat 14 and rice 9 seers per rupee.
Khandwa ...	3·17	Weather cloudy; sowings nearly completed; 10 deaths from cholera; prices steady.
Raipur ...	2·24	Prospects good; health good; prices steady.
Sambalpur (July 7th)	12·14; very heavy rain during the week.	Early rice sowings almost finished; land being prepared for late rice sowings; break in the rains necessary; health good; common rice 45 seers per rupee.
		General Remarks.—Rain general and very seasonable; sowings continue; cholera still very severe in Wardha; prices steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
British Burma—(July 11th)		
Akyab ...	5·48	Total up to date 71·72; 12 deaths from cholera in district and 3 in town and 7 deaths from small-pox in Koladan; cattle-disease in four townships, in others health of plough cattle good; ploughing wages from 15 to 40 baskets per man per season.
Rangoon ...	4·34	Total up to date 29·88; public health good; prices of paddy from Rs. 97 to Rs. 98 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	5·59	Total up to date 34·88; 2 deaths from cholera in town, otherwise public health good; 2 deaths of cattle in Bassein, 35 in Laymyethna, and 18 in Yayggyee townships; ploughing progressing.
Prome ...	2·77	Total up to date 21·21; public health and health of plough cattle good; ploughing progressing everywhere, about 20,000 acres already ploughed.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	6·57	Total up to date 61·58; 2 cases of cholera in one township, otherwise public health in Moulmein and district good; cattle-disease slight in Gyaingsalween and Zaya and severe in Baloogyoon and Martaban townships; ploughing progressing, about 60 per cent. of fields ploughed; health of plough cattle good; sowings progressing, about 10 per cent. of fields sown in Moulmein town and district; ploughing and sowing progressing, about 100 acres ploughed during the week; wages of ploughing labour 8 annas a day; crops being small, transplanting has not begun yet.
Toungoo ...	2·69	Total up to date 26·70; public health good; health of plough cattle good; ploughing progressing rapidly.
		General Remarks.—A little sporadic cholera and small-pox, otherwise health of province good; cattle-disease in various districts, everywhere slight, except in part of Amherst district where it is reported as severe; agricultural operations going on satisfactorily.
Assam—(July 11th)		
Gauhati ...	2·78 for week ending 10th instant.	Weather very hot; reaping of *ahu* paddy in progress; lands being ploughed for *sali* crop; public health fairly good; slight cholera in parts of interior.
Sylhet ...	3·38	Crop prospects improving; small-pox still prevalent in parts of the district.
Cachar ...	5·88	Weather intensely warm; cultivation of *sali* and transplanting of *aus* and sowing of *asra* crops progressing; common rice 16 seers per rupee; general health good.
Dibrugarh ...	2·49	Weather hot; transplanting of *sali dhan* progressing; cattle-disease still reported from North Lakhimpur; public health good.
Mysore and Coorg—(July 11th)		
Bangalore ...	1·41	Standing crops in good condition; preparations are being made for sowing dry crops; harvesting of *cysakh* paddy almost completed; prospects improved; public health good.
Mysore ...	·42	Standing crops need rain in some parts; prospects favourable; public health good.
Mercara ...	11·01	Standing crops doing well; labour coming in very slowly on coffee estates.
		General Remarks.—1·36 rain at Kolar slight rain in other districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health generally good; prices much the same as last reported.
Berar & Hyderabad—(July 11th)		
Amráoti ...	5·18	*Kharif* sowings continue; wheat 16 and *juari* 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	9·06	*Kharif* sowings progressing.
Hyderabad ...	.....	No report received
Central India States—(July 11th)		
Indore ...	3·20	Weather seasonable, a break in the rains would now be advantageous; health good; prices steady.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	1·78	Health good; weather sultry.
Sutna ...	·16	Health good.
Sehore ...	2·2	Weather cloudy; crops and public health good.
Rutlam ...	.....	No report received.
Neemuch ...	·07	Weather seasonable; public health good.
Goona ...	·75	Weather cloudy; health good; wheat 24 seers per rupee; locusts have appeared in the Ragoogarh district.
Bhopal ...	.....	No report received.
Agar ...	.....	No report received.
Nowgong ...	1·39	Weather seasonable; sowing operations progressing; health good; cholera prevalent in parts of Bundelkhand; prices rising.
Bhopawar ...	5·22	Health good; prices stationary; continuous rain retards sowing operations.
Manpur ...	.....	No report received.

Presidency or Province and District.		Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Rajputana—			
Abu	(July 11th)	6·29 during week	Total rainfall 25·0; weather cloudy and showery and occasionally close.
Sirohi	(„ 8th)	Rain slight at intervals during week; 1·04.	Weather cloudy; tanks partly full, wells full; health and crops good.
Marwar	(„ 6th)	·09	Tanks all empty, water obtained from wells with great difficulty; health good; crops in need of rain and in danger of being scorched up; sky overcast, but rain holds off; prices stationary.
Meywar	(„ 8th)	1·22	Tanks and wells fair; health good; crop prospects very good.
Harowti	(„ 7th)	Deoli, 1·23; Tonk, 1·90; Kotah, ·44; Shahpura, ·21: previous week—Kotah, 2·17; Shahpura, ·62.	Weather seasonable; sowings progressing; health good.
Jhallawar	(„ 6th)	·24	Heavy rain in some districts; weather cloudy and cool.
Ajmere	(„ 10th)	3·36	Sowings progressing favourably; health good.
Jeypore	(„ „)	1·58	Some cholera cases at capital and districts; sowings commenced; prices stationary.
Bhurtpore	...	.....	No report received.
Ulwur	(July 10th)	Average ·33	Strong westerly wind; prices rising; cholera in four tahsils.
Nepal—(July 6th)			
Katmandu	...	2·58	Agricultural prospects good; more rain is desired; rice transplanting is still going on.

MEMORANDUM ON THE WEATHER CHARACTERISTICS OF INDIA DURING MAY AND JUNE 1883.

No. 63 Met.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department (Meteorology), under date Simla, the 13th July 1883.

Read the following :—

Memorandum on the weather characteristics of India during the month of May 1883.

Throughout the Punjab and North-Western Provinces, from Mooltan to Benares, the telegraphic reports show that from the 1st to the 21st of May the atmosphere was exceptionally dry. This was most remarkable at the hill stations in the North-Western Himalaya, but over the whole region the air apparently became drier as the month advanced, till, on the 19th and 20th, at Chakrata the amount of moisture was about 15 per cent. below the average and equalled only 8 per cent. of saturation. During this time no rain fell, but on the 22nd there was a rapid increase in the dampness of the air, and from that date till the close of the month humidity was above the average, and frequent and rather heavy showers of rain fell. As usual, the temperature of the air varied inversely with its humidity. From the 1st to the 22nd it was above, and from the 23rd to 31st below, the average of the month. The hottest day was the 20th, when the average was exceeded—

by 14° at Dera Ismail Khan,
„ 12° at Rawalpindi, Delhi, Chakrata and Agra,
„ 11° at Ludhiana and Sirsa;

and the coolest day was the 28th, when the average was not reached—

by 23° at Murree,
„ 20° at Dera Ismail Khan and Sialkot,
„ 17° at Lahore, Sirsa and Agra.

The 20th May was probably the hottest day of the year over the whole of Northern India. Excluding Bengal and Chutia Nagpur, it appears that on that day there was a mean maximum temperature of 111° and a mean minimum temperature of 87°, making the approximate mean of the day as high as 99°. The highest reading recorded was 117°.

On the 28th, above noted as being the coolest day of the month in Northern India, there was a somewhat unusual fall of snow on the Himalaya. In Kashmir it was slight but general, but in the Chumba State a great deal of fresh snow fell which was only beginning to melt on June 7th; and in Kulu there was a fall of about 6 inches on May 28th and 29th. In Sikkim the snowfall of the month was above the average.

In Northern Bengal and Assam the conditions were nearly the reverse of the above. Here the humidity was above the average from the 1st to the 21st, and below it from the 22nd to the end of the month. The day of greatest humidity was apparently the 14th; and this date corresponds with the middle of that period of excessive precipi-

tation which gave Silchar 27 inches of rain in ten days, and produced disastrous floods, raising the river Barak 41½ feet above its zero level, and submerging the station of Silchar and all the country around. No such flood has been experienced since 1833. With the 21st the rainfall appears to have almost entirely ceased. As in the former case, the changes of temperature were the reverse of those of humidity, the readings of the thermometer being below the average from the 1st to 21st, and above it from the 22nd to the 31st, and the day of lowest temperature was that of greatest humidity, *viz.*, the 14th.

In the Central Provinces the conditions were similar to those of North-Western India, humidity being below and temperature above the average during the first 25 days, while dry westerly winds were blowing; but in this region the hottest day was the 19th. On the 26th a rapid change took place, the air becoming suddenly much damper and the temperature falling quickly, so that, while on the 19th at Jubbulpore and Saugor it had reached 111°, on the 28th it only amounted to 94° and 92° respectively.

In Rajputana, Sind, Cutch, Guzerat, &c., dry westerly winds prevailed almost throughout the month, the only exception being about a week in the middle of the period. Practically no rain fell over this region, but the temperature varied with that of the more northern provinces, being above the average from the 1st to the 21st. After the latter date it fell suddenly, and on the 27th the readings at Neemuch and Indore were respectively 22° and 19° below the average.

In the Peninsula and Burma the variations from the mean were irregular, and on the whole nowhere large. Over Burma the rainfall was more or less evenly distributed throughout the month, while over the Peninsula the amount of precipitation increased towards its close. In both regions the end of the month was marked by a somewhat sudden increase of humidity and fall of temperature—changes probably connected with the approach of the monsoon, which was apparently setting in at Cochin on the 28th.

A brief summary of the weather over the whole country shows that over the whole of North-Western India, *i.e.*, the country north of the Satpuras and west of Behar, the first two-thirds of the month were exceptionally hot and dry and the last ten days damp, showery, cool and unsettled; that over Bengal and Assam the reverse was the case; and that over the Peninsula and British Burma the whole month presented conditions not widely differing from the average of past years.

Memorandum on the chief weather characteristics of India during the month of June 1883.

In Bengal, after some weeks of close cloudy weather, with occasional showers, the monsoon rains were ushered in on the 13th June with a little cyclonic storm formed apparently on the coast of the Sunderbuns. From the coast on the three following days, this storm passed inland on a north-west course, bringing heavy rain in its track as far west as Behar, and a moderate fall up to Allahabad, beyond which, for the time, the rains did not advance. The following are the maximum falls recorded each day:—

June 13th.—Cuttack	1·66	inches.
„ 14th.—Saugor Island	5·11	„
„ 15th.—Darjeeling	4·56	„
„ 16th.—Gya	8·95	„
„ 17th.—Mozufferpore	12·49	„

At Bombay it blew strongly on the 11th, 12th and 13th, but not from the monsoon quarter; and afterwards the wind fell light, and so continued till the 24th, when the monsoon set in steadily. But the rainfall has been light throughout the month, and at its close was 6 inches short of the normal average. On the 26th or 27th a second cyclone was formed at the head of the Bay of Bengal, causing heavy rain around the coasts, and especially on those of Orissa and Ganjam; then travelling westward, the centre reached Cuttack on the 30th June; Seoni on the 1st July; Indore on the 2nd, and lay between Rajkot and Kurrachee on the 3rd. It caused very heavy rain in Guzerat, flooding the rivers, and interrupting railway communication between Bombay and Baroda.

In the North-Western Provinces, with the exception already mentioned, the rains did not set in before the 26th, but throughout the month the wind was in general easterly, and occasional thunderstorms occurred. In the Punjab also the first rain fell between the 26th and 29th, but in the eastern half of the province the prevailing high temperature was mitigated by an occasional duststorm. The hottest days were the 4th, 25th and 26th, when the mean temperatures were approximately 92·8, 93·1 and 94·3 respectively.

In Northern Bengal, during the first half of the month, the humidity was below, and in the second half above, the mean, while in Assam the variations were slight and irregular. The rainfall in Northern Bengal was large, but it fell mostly in the latter half of the month, and was directly attributable to the depression of the 13th—16th. The number of rainy days in Assam and Northern Bengal was 18; but while the rainfall of Bengal was 5 inches in excess of the normal average, that of Assam was 5 inches deficient.

In Lower Bengal rain of importance fell on 22 days. The total fall of the month was 5 inches in excess.

In the Central Provinces rain fell on 18 days; the amounts on the 14th and 15th being large, and the average total amount exceeded the mean by 1½ inches.

In Rajputana, Sind, &c., the number of days on which rain fell was only 4, and the average total was less by ¾ of an inch than even the small amount which generally falls in this region in the month of June. In Rajputana the month was decidedly cool, but in Sind and Cutch the temperature was generally above the average.

In Bombay and Guzerat rain fell upon 19 days, but the falls were not heavy, and the total amount was 5 inches less than the normal. The temperature was below the average, the difference, over an area stretching from Bombay to Belgaum and from Poona to Secunderabad, being 2½.°

In Madras and Mysore the weather was cloudy; rain fell upon 26 days, the average fall exceeding the normal by ¾ of an inch. Under these circumstances the temperature was somewhat below the mean.

In Burma the largest number of wet days was recorded, *viz.*, 27, but the falls of rain were not very heavy, except between the 4th and 9th; so that, at the close of the month, there was an average deficiency of 6 inches. The thermometer was below the average throughout.

From the above it appears that over a large part of the country the monsoon so far has been weak. On the 28th of May it was reported to have burst at Cochin, and between that date and the 5th of June it appears to have spread along that coast as far north as Goa. In Bombay itself the weather has been showery, but there have been no very heavy falls of rain. On the Bengal side, on the contrary, the south and south-west winds have brought up even more than the normal amount of rain, and the weather at the head of the Bay has been somewhat exceptionally rough. In Northern India the monsoon current has been much delayed, and in parts of the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab continuous rain has hardly yet set in.

W. L. DALLAS,
Assistant Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the memorandum be inserted in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India.*

T. W. HOLDERNESS,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 11th July, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., *presiding.*

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.

The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BIKRÂMA SINGH'S ESTATES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT presented the Report of the Select Committee [illegible] made by His Excellency the

Viceroy and Governor General regarding certain matters in dispute between Sardár Bikráma Singh and the Kapurthhala State.

EMIGRATION BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Hon'ble Mr. Quinton be added to the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the Emigration of Natives of India.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 18th July, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,
Legislative Department.

SIMLA;
The 11th July, 1883.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, &c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 17th March 1883.

From the 7th April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, and V of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Reports, will be published at Simla. After the 31st March, all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts, should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

Parts IV and V of the *Gazette of India*, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Council, may be subscribed for separately from the other Parts of the Gazette. The annual subscription for the two Parts is R5 per annum, payable in advance. When sent by post, R2-8 per annum additional will be charged for postage.

Complaints regarding non-receipt of any number of the *Gazette* should be forwarded within a week after the day on which it is due.

Applications for the supply of the *Gazette* on the *public service* should be addressed to the Home Department.

By an order of Government, all subscriptions must be paid *in advance*.

	R	a.	p.
Subscription for *Gazette* and Supplement per annum	15	0	0
Postage	5	8	0
Subscription for Supplement only	6	0	0
Postage	3	0	0
For a single copy of the *Gazette*	0	8	0
For a single copy of the Supplement	0	4	0

Postage on single copies varies according to weight.

E. J. DEAN,

Publisher, Gazette of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th July 1883.

No. 366.—Mr. W. R. Vyall, Surveyor, 3rd Grade, Survey of India, is granted furlough in India, for two years, under Chapter X, Section 131, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as his services can be spared.

G. C. DEPRÉE, *Colonel,*

Offg. Surveyor General of India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 6th July 1883.

Offices opened and closed during the month of June 1883:—

Name of Station.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
Badani	Sind	1st	Opened.
Bogra	Bengal Presdy.	20th	Ditto.
Chittoor	Madras Presdy.	1st	Ditto.
Danaurie	N.-W. Provinces	16th	Closed.
Kach	Beluchistan	1st	Ditto.
Mahableswar	Bombay Presdy.	15th	Ditto.
Malliapuram	Madras Presdy.	14th	Opened.
Ranikhet Cantonment.	N.-W. Provinces	27th	Ditto.

A. J. L. CAPPEL,

Director General of Telegraphs in India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA, P. W. D. Establishment.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore, the 5th July 1883.

No. 4.—Mr. H. E. Grant, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, has been placed in independent charge

of the Office of Executive Engineer, Gwalior Division, which he received from Mr. H. F. White, M.I.C.E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, on the afternoon of 11th June 1883.

No. 5.—With reference to G. O. No. 115, dated 4th May 1883, Mr. H. F. White, M.I.C.E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, received charge of the Office of Superintending Engineer and Secretary to Agent, Governor General, for Central India from Colonel C. S. Thomason, R.E., on the forenoon of 18th June 1883.

H. F. WHITE, *M.I.C.E.*,
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India, P. W. D.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Abu, the 6th July 1883.

No. 2276 *G.*—With reference to Foreign Department Notification No. 1112 G., dated 18th April 1883, Lieutenant W. H. Cornish, Officiating Wing Officer, Meywar Bhil Corps, returned from the examination leave granted him in Foreign Department Notification No. 16 G., dated 4th January 1883, and assumed charge of the Adjutancy, in addition to his own duties, on the 14th May 1883.

No. 2280 *G.*—Lieutenant W. H. Cornish, Officiating Adjutant, Meywar Bhil Corps, availed himself on the 23rd June 1883 of the privilege leave granted him in this Office Notification No. 1765 G., dated 4th June 1883.

By Order,
E. A. FRASER,
1st Asst. Agent to the Govr. Genl.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Abu, the 7th July 1883.

No. 535.—Munshi Jagat Narain and Rae Bishen Sarup, respectively, delivered over and received charge of the Office of Deputy Magistrate, Kekree, on the afternoon of the 13th day of June 1883.

The unexpired portion (four days) of the privilege leave granted to Rae Bishen Sarup in this Office Notification No. 476, dated 18th June 1883, is hereby cancelled.

No. 537.—In virtue of the powers under Section 37 of Act X of 1882 (Criminal Procedure Code), the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara is pleased to invest Pundit Bhag Ram, Judicial Assistant Commissioner of Ajmer, with the powers specified in Section 260 of the said Act to try cases summarily.

By Order,
E. A. FRASER,
1st Asst. to the Chief Commr.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Bangalore, the 4th July 1883.

No. 565-192.—Bidandra Mandanna, Subedar, Kiggatnad Taluk, is granted one month's privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Kutati Chengapa, Parpattegar and 3rd Class Magistrate, Mercara-nad, is appointed to act as Subedar and 3rd Class Magistrate, Kiggatnad Taluk, from date of his taking charge of the Office, *vice* Bidandra Mandanna, on leave, or until further orders.

No. 567-193.—The Officiating Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint the Inspector of Schools in Coorg an *ex-officio* Member of the Mercara and Verajendrapet Municipal Committee.

By Order,
H. WYLIE, *Major*,
Secretary to the Chief Commr. of Coorg.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th July 1883.

No. 24.—Lieutenant H. Finnis, R.E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, temporary rank, is transferred from the Rawalpindi Command, Military Works, to the Sirhind-Lahore Command, Military Works, as a temporary arrangement.

J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Colonel, R.E.*,
Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 2nd July 1883.

No. 31.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 157, dated 22nd June 1883, Mr. M. O. Norris, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Rajputana-Malwa State Railway.

H. F. HANCOCK, *Col., R.E.*,
Offg. Director General of Railways.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned Students have been declared entitled to Maharaja Sir Joteendromohan Tagore's Medals for the year 1883 on the result of the Examination held by the Tagore Law Professor on the subject of his lectures :—

Pareschandra Banerjee, Gold Medal; City College.

Manmathanath Bhattacharyya, Silver Medal; City College.

G. BELLETT,
Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th April 1883.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

TELEGRAPHIC STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND OUTGOINGS FROM TREASURIES DURING JUNE 1883.

Thousands of Rupees.

	Civil Revenue.	Civil Debt and Remittance Heads.	Forest, Telegraph, and Marine.	Post Office.	Guaranteed Railways.	Military Department.	P. W. Department.	Opening Balance.	TOTAL.
Receipts.	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
India General	15,68	3,12,24	22	3,51	4,39	77	53,72	2,60,15	6,50,68
Central Provinces	19,98	21,25	86	1,97	...	10	1,14	76,61	1,21,91
British Burmah	13,53	6,51	2,52	2,92	...	10	1,67	66,34	93,59
Assam	3,88	6,02	15	1,70	...	3	6	26,19	38,03
Bengal	1,69,30	49,42	1,62	6,93	...	7	4,21	1,44,26	3,75,81
N.-W. Provinces and Oudh	1,22,66	1,18,37	41	2,99	3,92	45	9,12	2,46,85	5,04,77
Punjab	63,47	68,16	56	3,24	7,18	1,28	5,64	81,61	2,31,14
Madras	57,86	69,32	1,09	3,97	9,72	64	38	1,90,18	3,33,16
Bombay	60,92	1,76,47	2,26	5,55	56,83	82	3,24	1,87,65	4,93,74
Remittance Adjustment	...	7,83	...	...	...	...	...	10,25	18,08
TOTAL RECEIPTS	5,27,28	8,35,59	9,69	32,78	82,04	4,26	79,18	12,90,09	28,60,91
Outgoings.									
India General	12,47	3,00,71	1,37	80	3,11	17,80	18,55	2,95,87	6,50,68
Central Provinces	5,84	26,43	41	22	...	2,62	1,97	84,42	1,21,91
British Burmah	8,05	18,81	1,47	6	...	2,13	8,04	55,03	93,59
Assam	3,09	6,16	25	19	...	76	70	26,88	38,03
Bengal	35,77	1,61,63	1,11	7,29	...	1,77	15,36	1,52,88	3,75,81
N.-W. Provinces and Oudh	25,16	1,25,36	90	8,37	3,63	17,12	10,14	3,14,09	5,04,77
Punjab	18,96	51,86	75	3,80	4,14	23,54	19,28	1,08,81	2,31,14
Madras	32,75	98,95	1,38	4,27	4,72	12,94	7,71	1,70,44	3,33,16
Bombay	30,00	2,24,63	4,17	3,04	16,97	14,86	22,37	1,77,70	4,93,74
Remittance Adjustment	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,08	18,08
TOTAL OUTGOINGS	1,72,09	10,14,54	11,81	28,04	32,57	93,54	1,04,12	14,04,20	28,60,91

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDING JUNE 1883.

Lakhs of Rupees.

	RECEIPTS.					OUTGOINGS.				
	Accounts till April.	TELEGRAPHIC. May.	TELEGRAPHIC. June.	Total. 3 months.	Budget Estimate. 3 months.	Accounts till April.	TELEGRAPHIC. May.	TELEGRAPHIC. June.	Total. 3 months.	Budget Estimate. 3 months.
Civil Revenue	4,24*	4,93*	5,29*	14,46	14,15	...	...	...	...	...
Civil Expenditure	...	...	...	...	...	2,36*	2,33*	1,74*	6,43	6,94
Military Department	6	5	4	15	21	99	97	93	2,89	2,96
Public Works Department	67	80	79	2,26	...	1,27	1,01	1,04	3,32	1,34
Forest, Telegraph, and Marine Dept. (net)	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	5	4
Post Office Department (net)	5	3	5	13	6	...	...	...	...	...
Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways	57	59	49	1,65	1,02	...	...	...	...	...
Imperial Loan	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Council Bills, including Exchange	...	...	...	...	...	2,70	2,40	2,05	7,15	5,11
Mint and Coinage Accounts	...	...	...	...	...	—10	—9	5	—14	...
Civil Debt and Remittance (net)	1	—5	31	27	11	...	...	...	...	...
Total	5,60	6,35	6,97	18,92	15,57	7,25	6,62	5,83	19,70	16,39
Opening Balance	14,82	13,17	12,90	14,82	13,84	...	...	...	...	...
Closing Balance	...	...	...	...	...	13,17	12,90	14,04	14,04	13,02
GRAND TOTAL	20,42	19,52	19,87	33,74	29,41	20,42	19,52	19,87	33,74	29,41

* Includes Forest in Madras and Bombay.

J. WESTLAND,
Comptroller General.

The 10th July 1883.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.
Public Works Department.

NOTIFICATION.

Statement of the Monthly Accounts of the several Branches of the Public Works Department received in the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, up to the 6th July 1883.

PUBLIC WORKS (BUILDINGS AND ROADS AND MILITARY WORKS BRANCH) AND TELEGRAPH.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Punjab Assam	Apl. 1883	June 18, 1883
3	Hyderabad (Imperial) Central India Rajputana	Do. „	Do. 25, „
6	Bombay Hyderabad Assigned Districts.	Do. „	Do. 26, „
8	Madras Coorg	Do. „	Do. 28, „
10	Port Blair	Do. „	Do. 29, „
11	Central Provinces British Burmah	Do. „	July 4, „
13	Mysore (Imperial)	Mar. „	May 29, „
14	Military Works Branch	Do. „	June 5, „
15	Bengal	Do. „	Do. 8, „
16	North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	Do. „	July 2, „

TELEGRAPH.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Indo-European Telegraph.	Mar. 1883	June 9, 1883
2	Indian „	Do. „	Do. 9, „

IRRIGATION.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Punjab	Apl. 1883	June 18, 1883
2	Rajputana	Do. „	Do. 23, „
3	Bengal	Do. „	Do. 25, „
4	Bombay	Do. „	Do. 26, „
5	Madras	Do. „	Do. 28, „
6	British Burmah	Do. „	July 4, „
7	Assam	Mar. „	May 25, „
8	North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	Do. „	June 19, „

GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Punjab	Apl. 1883	June 18, 1883
2	State Railway Stores Branch.	Do. „	Do. 19, „
3	Bombay	Do. „	Do. 26, „
4	Madras	Do. „	Do. 28, „
5	Bengal North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	Do. „ Mar. „	July 2, „ June 2, „

STATE RAILWAYS (CAPITAL).

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Garo Hills Survey	Apl. 1883	June 15, 1883
2	Umritsar & Pathankote	Do. „	Do. 18, „
3	State Ry. Stores Branch	Do. „	Do. 20, „
4	Wardha Coal Muttra-Hattras	Do. „	Do. 23, „
6	Calcutta & South-Eastern Nalhati Patna & Gya Sindia Nagpur-Chattisgarh Punjab Northern Indus Valley Kandahar North-Western Provinces Light Railway Survey. Western Deccan. Bundelkhund	Do. „	Do. 25, „
17	Northern Bengal British Burma Railways Rewari-Ferozepur Kawnea & Dhurla Dinagepore Extension Chittagong Survey Northern Bengal & Tirhoot Railway Extension.	Do. „	Do. 26, „
24	Dacca & Mymensing Bhopal	Do. „	Do. 27, „
26	Rajputana Holkar Cawnpore-Furruckabad Madras Railway Surveys	Do. „	Do. 28, „
30	Ranaghat-Bhagwangola	Do. „	Do. 29, „
31	Central Bengal	Do. „	Do. 30, „
32	Tirhoot Bombay Railway Surveys	Do. „	July 2, „
34	Ghazipur-Dildarnagar	Mar. „	May 4, „
35	Punjab Railway Surveys	Do. „	Do. 19, „
36	Patna & Bahraich	Do. „	Do. 23, „
37	Dinagepore-Monihari Surveys.	Do. „	Do. 28, „
38	Southern Mahratta Railway (Govt.)	Do. „	June 4, „
39	Bareilly-Pilibhit	Do. „	Do. 6, „
40	Southern Mahratta Co.	Do. „	Do. 7, „
41	Bengal Railway Surveys	Do. „	Do. 11, „
42	Calcutta & South-Eastern Extension Achnera *vid* Muttra-Hattras, &c.	Do. „	Do. 15, „
44	East Indian	Do. „	Do. 18, „

STATE RAILWAYS (REVENUE).

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Nagpur-Chhattisgarh	Apl. 1883	June 22, 1883
2	Calcutta & South-Eastern Nalhati Northern Bengal Patna & Gya Wardha Coal Punjab Northern Indus Valley	Do. „	Do. 25, „
9	Tirhoot British Burmah Kawnea & Dhurla	Do. „	Do. 26, „
12	Bhopal	Do. „	Do. 27, „
13	Muttra-Hattras	Do. „	Do. 28, „
14	Cawnpore-Furruckabad	Do. „	Do. 29, „
15	Rajputana Rewari-Ferozepore	Do. „	July 2, „
17	Sindia.	Mar. „	June 19. „
18	East Indian	Do. „	Do. 18, „

FOREIGN STATES.
CAPITAL AND REVENUE.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Bhavnagar-Gondal	Apl. 1883	June 20, 1883
2	Nizam's	Do. „	Do. 25, „
3	Khamgaon Omraoti	Mar. „	May 26, „

A. FILGATE, *Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,*
Accountant General, P. W. Dept.

Simla, the 7th July 1883.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued on		Balance of Bullion		
		General Treasury.	Currency Department.	Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
1883.	R	R	R	R	R	R
July 2	...	...	...	342	25,48,538	12,61,718
" 3	...	...	363	...	25,48,910	12,62,089
" 4	...	...	...	...	25,48,910	12,62,089
" 5	...	...	...	...	25,48,910	12,62,089
" 6	2,37,352	...	...	2,37,352	25,48,910	12,62,089
" 7	...	...	...	2,37,352	25,48,910	12,62,089

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 9th July 1883.

J. F. TENNANT, *Major-Genl., R.E.,*
Mint Master.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Bombay Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1883.		R	
W42	M 66—97265	100	Assistant Political Agent, Riwakantha.

BOMBAY,
The 3rd July 1883.

C. J. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acott. Genl., Paper Currency Department,
for *Commissioner of Issue.*

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
87	P 9—95684	50	Inspector J. W. Bell.
88	P 9—95215	50	Babu Jogendra Nath Dutta.
89	P 9—14290	50	Babu Rakhal Chundra Bose.
90	P 9—95467	50	Babu Khetter Mohan Mukerjee.
91	P 44—05656	100	Mr. J. A. Simpson.

J. TAYLOR,
Asstt. Comptlr. Genl., in charge, Paper Currency.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th July 1883.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
6	E 20—81592	100	Ram Dyal Sunt Lal, Banker, C-4th R.A, Mean Meer.

LAHORE,
The 7th July 1883.

H. J. BRERETON,
for *Depy. Comnr. of Paper Currency.*

TREASURE TROVE.

In terms of Section 5 of Act VI of 1878, notice is hereby given, that on 15th April 1883, certain treasure (Akbari R18 of the value of about R17), was found in a piece of Gaothan land belonging to one Mukunda wd. Mahadu, of Kasbe Nasirabad, Taluka Nasirabad, of the Khandesh Collectorate of the Bombay Presidency.

Claimants are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Khandesh, on Monday, the 19th November 1883, when he will proceed to hold an enquiry according to law.

N. OMMANEY,
Actg. Collector of Khandesh.

DHULIA,
The 3rd July 1883.

Report of a Deserter from the 2nd Battalion, Royal Lancaster Regiment of Infantry, dated at Colaba, Bombay, East Indies, this 6th day of July 1883.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. H—2119, Private James Joyce.
Age,—26 years 7 months.
Size,—5 feet 5½ inches.
Colour of—
Complexion, fresh; Hair, light brown; Eyes, grey.
Date of Desertion,—1st July 1883.
Place of Desertion,—Colaba, Bombay, East Indies.
Date of Enlistment,—9th May 1878.
At what Place Enlisted,—Lancaster.
Parish and County in which Born,—Christ Church, Armagh.
Marks,—3 scars on pit of stomach, 1 scar on right side of neck.
Trade,—Labourer.
Coat or Jacket,— } Regimental clothing.
Waistcoat,— .
Breeches or Trowsers,— .
REMARKS.—
Under 6 years' service.

C. P. STOKES, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Comdg. 2nd Battn., Royal Lancaster Regt.

Report of a Deserter from the 8-1st Brigade, Cinque Ports Division, Royal Regiment of Artillery, dated at Colaba, Bombay, this 8th day of July 1883.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. 23697, Gunner Alfred Hartnell.
Age,—23 years 5 months.
Size,—5 feet 10 inches.
Colour of—
Complexion, fresh "pale"; Hair, light brown; Eyes, grey.
Date of Desertion,—6th July 1883.
Place of Desertion,—Colaba, Bombay.
Date of Enlistment,—22nd January 1880.
At what Place Enlisted,—Woolwich.
Parish and County in which Born,—Exminster, Devon.
Marks,—*Nil.*
Trade,—Clerk.
Coat or Jacket,— } Regimentals dyed khaki.
Waistcoat,— .
Breeches or Trowsers— .
REMARKS,—
Under 4 years' service.

HUGH W. PERRY, *Lieut.,*
Comdg. 8-1st, C. P. D., R.A.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on 12th July 1883.

D'Oyly, Mrs. Lawrie, A. B.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

A. B. C.
Agigt, John.
A. Q R.
Barrett, A. C.
Binnie, George.
Blackman, Russell.
Bradshaw, D. E.
Buckle, Henry.
Burlington, Charles.
C. P.
Camar, Madame A.
Cammell, Minard A.
Can, Mrs
C. S. 1,000.
"Chaperone."
Connolly, Mrs.
Cotton, F.
Crowether, John.
Dalyell, Mrs. R. F.
David, Jacov.
D'Cruz, Mrs. Bella.
DeLa Corneuve, F. E. W.
Dick, Arthur.
Donovan, John.
"Felix."
Francis, G.
Fraser, William Stirton.
Field, Miss Fanny.
Grove, H. F.
Hallewell, J. A.
Haly, J. J.
Hay, Arthur.
Hankivez, Madame.
Harris, Lord.
Heller, Miss.
Henry, James.
Hiley, Charles.
Horridge, Charles.
Hunter, H. C. D.
Hutchinson, Miss Florence.
Jones, H.
Jones, John.
Kelly, Mrs. E.
Kavanagh, P.
L. S.
Lewis, Mrs. R. B.
Matteo, Rafaille.
Maycock, A. H.
McClure, A.
Moore, Miss Claude.
Moore, William.
Neville, H.
Neville, Sergeant.
O'Donel, —.
Perrins, C. H.
Pethard, John.
Pimlott, James Thomas.
Pine, Arol.
Rains, —.
Rostam, J. B.
Ross, J.
Salvator, Madame Amelie.
Sanford, E. C. Aysh-ford.
Schulze, William.
Simpson, A. B. A.
Shaw, Lt. D. G. L.
Specht, Otto.
Tucker, Mrs.
Vardon, Mrs. E. M.
Vaughan, Percy.
White, Mrs. S.
Williams, John.
Williamson, W. F.
Windemar, Mrs.
Winloch, Lord.

Registered Letters.

Angelo, Col. R. F.
Blin, T. A.
Browne, David.
Fenn, Captain E. H.
Hankivez, Monsieur Charles.
Misleah, F.
Nardini, Sig. Raffaele.
Weben, Madame Martha.

Calcutta, the 14th July 1883.

SEA AND FOREIGN MAILS.

Foreign Mails for	Date.	Per Steamer
	1883	
Persian Gulf	20th July	From Bombay.
Madras, Ceylon, and Intermediate Ports	19th "	Str. *Calna.*
Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, Shanghai, Yokohama, and Australian Colonies	24th "	From Bombay.
Foreign Mails *vid* Bombay	14th "	From Bombay.*
Foreign Mails *vid* Bombay	21st "	From Bombay.*
Do. Book Post and Pattern Packets	20th "	From Bombay.
Rangoon and Moulmein	18th "	Str. *Purulia.*
Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon	18th "	Str. *Madras.*
Madras, Ceylon, Batavia, Singapore, and China	16th "	French Str. *Tibre.*
Straits and Hong-Kong	18th "	Strs. *Japan* and *Lennox.*

* Also for South Africa *vid* England can be forwarded.

N.B.—The letter-box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour, foreign letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M

E. HUTTON,
Presidency Post Master.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION.

The half-yearly examination of candidates for promotion and employment in the Public Works Department will be held at the Government Engineering College, Howrah, at 10 o'clock, on Monday, the 6th August 1883, and the following days. Applications, with fees for admission to the examination, are required to be filed before the 15th of July 1883. Candidates for the grade of Accountant who are not in Government service should be under twenty-five years of age, and must prove to the satisfaction of the Principal that they are under that age.

The following are the centres of examination sanctioned by the Government of India as stations where candidates for fourth grade Accountantships are to appear for examination :—

Ajmere, Allahabad, Durbhanga, Ghadechi, Howrah, Indore, Lahore, Lucknow, Mount Aboo, Nagpore, Poona, Rangoon, Rawalpindi, Saidpore, Secunderabad, Shillong, Simla, and Sukkur.

Candidates for the Accountant's examination are therefore requested to select one of the places mentioned above.

S. F. DOWNING,
Principal, Govt. Engrg. College, Howrah.

SHIBPORE,
The 20th June 1883.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

This preparation is an efficient substitute for Quinine and can be purchased by Government officers for public and charitable purposes, and by any one taking *twenty pounds* at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Calcutta, *for cash only*, at the following rates :—per four ounce tin *R4-8*; per eight ounce tin, *R8-8*; per pound tin, *R16-8*. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, *for cash only*, at the under-noted rates :—per four ounce tin *R5-8*; per eight ounce tin *R10-8*; per pound tin, *R20*. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggist in Calcutta. Postage 8 annas per four and eight ounce tins, and 12 annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

گورنمنٹ سنکونا فبري فيوج

يهه دوا کوئينائين کا خوب قائم مقام هی اور کلکته کے بوٹانکل گارڈن يعنے کمپني باغ کے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے هرايک ملازم سرکاري واسطے سرکاري کام اور خيرات کے اور سيواے اونکے جو کوئي ايک مشت بيس پونڈ خريد لينے سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد کرسکتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس کے ٹين کا چار روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس کے ٹين کا آٹهه روپيه آٹهه آنه; يک پونڈ کے ٹين کا سوله روپيه آٹهه آنه'

اور عوام‌الناس بوٹانکل گارڈن يعنے کمپني با کے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد کرسکتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس ٹين کا پانچ روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس کے ٹين کا دس روپيه آٹهه آنه ; ايک پونڈ کے ٹين کا بيس روپيه

يهه دوا کلکته کے بڑے بڑے ولايتي اور ديسي دوا خانونمين ٹکتي هی ماسيواے قيمت مذکورهٔ بالا کے محصول ڈاک چار اور آٹهه اونس کے ٹين کا آٹهه آنه ; اور ايک پونڈ کے ٹين کا باره آنه

Meteorological Publications for Sale.

The following publications of the Meteorological Office of the Government of India are on sale and can be procured at the Meteorological Office, No. 4, Middleton Row, or either at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., or at Messrs. Brown & Co., at the prices noted against them :—

	R	a.	p.
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1875, 4to, 89 pages text, 297 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1876, 4to, 97 pages text, 340 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1877, 4to, 173 pages text, 375 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1878, 4to, 149 pages text, 380 pages tables, 3 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1879, 4to, 164 pages text, 273 pages tables, 4 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1880, 4to, 174 pages text, 286 pages tables, 6 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0

Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part I, 4to, 118 pages, 9 plates	2	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part II. 4to, 63 pages, 4 plates .	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part III, 4to, 86 pages, 2 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part IV, 4to, 62 pages, 8 plates .	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part V, 4to, 57 pages, 10 plates .	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part VI, 4to, 62 pages . .	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, cloth bound, 4to, 438 pages, 33 plates	10	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. II, Part I, 4to, 78 pages, 9 plates .	1	8	0
Rainfall Chart of India, showing the average annual distribution of rainfall (in colors) . . .	1	0	0
Report on the Vizagapatam and Backergunge Cyclones. October 1876, 4to, 87 pages, 4 plates .	2	0	0
Report on the Madras Cyclone, May 1877, 4to, 117 pages text, 97 pages tables, 4 plates . .	2	8	0
	R	a.	p.
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1879, corrected and reduced . . .	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1880, corrected and reduced . . .	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1881, corrected and reduced . . .	2	0	0

HENRY F. BLANFORD.
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

THE INDIAN LAW REPORTS.

PUBLISHED UNDER AUTHORITY.

The "Indian Law Reports," published under the authority of the Governor General in Council, will appear in monthly parts, published as soon as possible after the first of each month at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, and Allahabad, and will comprise four series,—one for the Calcutta High Court, a second for the Madras High Court a third for the Bombay High Court, and a fourth for the Allahabad High Court. The cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from each High Court will be reported in the Series for that High Court. Cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from Provinces in India not subject to any High Court will be reported in the Calcutta Series. The Parts of each Series can be had separately, or all four Parts can be had stitched into one wrapper at the option of subscribers and purchasers. It will be observed from the following statement of the terms of subscription and sale, that a considerable reduction is allowed to persons taking the complete set:

Terms of subscription, payable annually in advance.

	Without Postage.	With Postage.
For the CALCUTTA SERIES .	R35	R37-8
" MADRAS SERIES .	" 8	" 9
" BOMBAY SERIES .	" 8	" 9
" ALLAHABAD SERIES .	" 8	" 9
Complete set . . .	" 45	" 47-8

The price of each Part purchased separately will vary according to the amount of matter it contains, and will be printed on the wrapper. It will, however, never be below the following:—

For a Part of the CALCUTTA SERIES .	R3	8
" " MADRAS SERIES .	" 1	0
" " BOMBAY SERIES .	" 1	0
" " ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 1	0
Complete set	" 4	0

Persons desiring to subscribe for or purchase the Reports, should apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND CO., CALCUTTA;
MESSRS. THACKER AND CO., BOMBAY;
MESSRS. HIGGINBOTHAM AND CO., MADRAS;
THE GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BOMBAY;
THE GOVERNMENT BOOK DEPOT, ALLAHABAD.

Orders and Subscriptions for 1878 should be at once remitted.

THE BENGAL LAW REPORTS.

A few sets of the Bengal Law Reports (Volumes 1 to 15) are available at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta, at R375 a set.

In order to expedite the issue of the Indian Law Reports, it has been arranged that copies shall for the future be despatched direct both to officials and subscribers from the stations at which each series is published, *viz.*, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras and Allahabad. As regards the Calcutta series, this arrangement will take effect with the number for August, 1883.

☞ The following books may be purchased from the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, No. 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, for private use only, which should be stated in the requisition.

No orders can be attended to unless accompanied by a remittance. When postage stamps are forwarded, one anna additional should be sent for every Rupee's worth of stamps, for discount in exchanging them for cash. Service labels or Court Fee stamps are not received.

Books required for the public service cannot be supplied on payment; they are only issued on the authority of the Department to which the indenting officer is subordinate. Applications for them should be made through the Local Government under which the applicant serves.

Now ready.

Army List—New Number.

The Official Quarterly Bengal Army List corrected up to 30th June 1883.

☞ *From January 1881 the price of the Army List has been reduced to 1 Rupee per copy; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Now ready.

Public Works Department Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 30th June 1883. *Price R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Preliminary Administration Report on the Railways in India for 1882-83 by Colonel F. S. STANTON, R.E., Director General of Railways. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

The Report of the Rent Law Commission, with draft of Bill to amend the Law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal, in two volumes. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Report of the Government of Bengal on the proposed amendment, with revised Bill and Appendices, in two volumes. *Price, R4; packing and postage, R1.*

Correspondence between the Government of India and the Secretary of State regarding the proposed amendment. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

The Bengal Tenancy Bill, with annexures. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

INDEX to the Enactments relating to India. Compiled, under the orders of the Government of India, by Stephen Jacob, B.C.S., to which are prefixed Chronological Tables of the Acts and Regulations of the Indian Legislatures.

Price reduced from R10 to R5; packing and postage, 12 annas.

Just published.

Regulations for the Medical Department, Her Majesty's Forces, Bengal, 1882. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 6 annas; interleaved copy, R2-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Travelling Allowance Code (Civil), Revised Edition, 1883. *Price R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

A Manual of the Land Revenue Systems and Land Tenures of British India, by B. H. BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S. *Royal 8vo, half calf. Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

A Manual of Jurisprudence for Forest Officers, by BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S., royal 8vo., half calf. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

Carbine and Rifle Exercises and Musketry Instruction for Native Troops, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Indian Appendix to the British Musketry Regulations, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, 12 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882. *Royal 8vo, Cloth gilt. Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Folio Foolscap.

Return of Wrecks and Casualties in Indian Waters for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, and 1881. *Price, R2 each; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Royal octavo, cloth, gilt.

The Commissariat Code for India, published under authority of the Government of India. *Price, R4; by post 8 annas extra*

Fasciculus of forms referred to in the Code. *Price, R2; by post 14 annas extra.*

Compendium of Existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. Compiled by H. G. Whelan, Superintendent, Office of Examiner of Commissariat Accounts. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas. Interleaved copies, R6; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Appendices to the Compendium of existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. *Price, R4 for plain copies, and R5 for interleaved. copies; packing and postage, 6 annas and 9 annas respectively.*

Revised edition.

General Rules and Circular Orders of the High Court in Bengal, Appellate Side—Civil, R2-8; Criminal, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas and 3 annas respectively.

☞ Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to the public monthly, at R3 a year payable in advance.

P. W. D. Code, 4th Edition.

Vol. I.—(For the use of Sub-divisional as well as Divisional Officers)—

Chap. I. Organization of the Department.—II. Rules for candidates for appointment or promotion.—III. Duties of Departmental Officers.—IV. Rules affecting personal conduct.—V. Special Rules applicable to all branches.—VI. Office arrangements.—VII. Designs and Estimates.—VIII. Contracts.—IX. Execution of works.—X. Cash and stores.—XI. Public buildings.—XII. Accounts. *Price, R2-8; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. II.—(For the use of Divisional Officers)—

Chap. XIII. Executive Engineers' Accounts.—XIV. Duties of Examiner's Office.—XV. Budget Rules and Annual Reports.—XVI. Military Works.—XVII. Irrigation. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R2-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Super-royal octavo, cloth.

Tribes of the Hindoo Koosh. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

The Civil Service Gradation List is no longer appended to the Army List, but is published separately, and may be obtained from Mr. H. W. Ronaldson, Civil Fund Office, Calcutta. *Price, R1; postage, 4 annas.*

Select Extra-Tropical Plants readily eligible for industrial culture or naturalisation, with indications of their native countries and some of their uses, by Baron Ferd. Von Mueller. Indian edition, 1880. *Price, R4; Packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Report on Cotton Gins, and on the cleaning and quality of Indian cotton, in two parts; by Dr. FORBES WATSON. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

West India Pilot, Volume II. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

THE INDIAN STATUTE-BOOK.

REVISED EDITION.

A.—General Acts.

Vol. I.—From 1834 to 1863.

Vol. II.—From 1864 to 1871.

Vol. III.—From 1872 to June 1876. *Price of each Volume, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

B.—Local Regulations and Acts.

Vol. IV.—The Madras Code, 1876. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. V.—The Oudh Code, 1877. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. VI.—The North-Western Provinces Code, 1877. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. VII.—The British Burma Code, 1877. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas*

Vol. VIII.—The Panjáb Code, 1878, *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. IX.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. I. 1878. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. X.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. II, 1879. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Lower Provinces Code, 1882. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XI.—The Ajmer Code, 1879. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XII.—The Bombay Code, 1880. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XIII.—The Coorg Code, 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XIV.—The Central Provinces Code, 1881. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

C.—Statutes.

Vol. XV.—The Statutes relating to India. Vol. I, 1285 to 1855. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XVI.—The Statutes relating to India, Vol. II, 1856 to 1881. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Statutes relating to India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Unrepealed Acts of the Governor General's Council from 1854 to date available separately.

[Applications for any of the above Volumes or Acts should, when the same are required for the public service, be made to the Local Government to which the applicant is subordinate, and the Local Government will, if necessary, forward such applications to the Legislative Department. Only persons wishing to purchase copies for private use should apply to this Office.]

Abstract of Proceedings of the Legislative Council of the Governor General from July 1882. *Annual subscription R5; postage, R1. Single issue 4 annas, including postage.*

In three volumes—super royal 8vo.

Punjab Customary Law, containing selection from the Records of the Punjab Government, Statements of Customary Law in different Districts, and Questions on Tribal and Local Custom. Edited by C. L. Tupper, C.S. *Price, R10 a set; packing and postage, 14 annas.*

The Book of Aids to Military Equitation practised at the Cavalry Riding Establishment, Canterbury. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

The Civil Account Code, Vol. I. Second Edition, corrected to 31st October 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

NOTIFICATIONS relative to the PUBLIC LOANS of the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, from 1822 to 1879. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Tables showing the remissions or reductions of Stamp Duty authorised since the passing of Act XXXVI of 1860. *Price, annas 2; by post, annas 3.*

Cantonment Regulations framed under Act XXII of 1864. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Audit of Cantonment Funds. *Price, annas 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Selections from the records of the Government of India—

No. CLVI.—Report on the administration of the Baroda States for 1877-78. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXIX.—Ditto for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXIX.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLX.—The wheat production and trade of India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLXIV.—Report on the administration of the Ajmere and Mhairwarra Districts for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXII.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXV.—Rajputana Dispensary, Vaccination, Jail and Sanitary Report for 1879. *Price, annas 12; packing and postage, annas 2.*

No. CLXXXIII.—Report on the Political administration of the Rajputana States, 1880-81. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Scientific results of the second Yarkund Mission—

Mollusca, R1-8; Geology, R1-8; Ichthyology, R3-8; Reptilia and Amphibia, R2-8; Hymenoptera, R1-8; Neuroptera, As. 12; Rhynchota, R2; Syringospha-erida-e, R2; Lepidoptera, R2; *packing and postage, 2 annas each.*

Ditto—Mammalia, *R35; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

A sketch of the Túrkí language as spoken in Eastern Turkistan (Káshghar and Yarkand), together with a collection of Extracts, by R. B. Shaw, F.R.G.S. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the demarcation and management of the Forests in Kulu with Map. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the management of the Forests included in the Forest School Circle, N. W. Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in Assam. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

A Manual of Chinchona Cultivation in India, by Dr G. King, M.B., F.L.S. Second Edition, 1880. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Silk in India. Some account of Silk in India, especially of the various attempts to encourage and extend sericulture in that country. Compiled by J. Geoghegan. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Revised Edition.

Vanilla: its cultivation in India, by J. E. O'Conor. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Report on Public Instruction in Mysore for the year 1880-81. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Army Circulars (India).

A Monthly Publication. *Price, R3 per annum, payable in advance.*

List of Changes in War Matériel and of Patterns of Military Stores which have been approved by the Government of India for Her Majesty's Army serving in India. A monthly publication. *Price, R4 per annum. Payable in advance.*

A Grammar of the Róng (Lepcha) language, by Colonel G. B. Mainwaring, B.S.C. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Revised Army Regulations, corrected to 31st December 1879. *Price, R4; packing and postage, 8 annas; interleaved copies, R5; packing and postage 12 annas.*

Pay, Pension, and Promotion Code for the Military Services in India, corrected up to 18th February 1881.

Vol. I.—British Troops. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 8 annas; interleaved copies, R4; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. II.—Native Troops. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas; interleaved copies, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Alterations and additions to the Code will be issued monthly. Those who have already bought copies of the Code, may have the correction slips at the rate of one rupee annually. Those who may hereafter purchase the book will be supplied with the slips issued up to date free of charge, but must pay for subsequent issues.

Hand-book for the Andamans and Nicobars, revised up to the 1st April 1877. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 3 annas. Interleaved copy. Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

PUBLICATIONS BY THE STATISTICAL BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Accounts relating to the Trade and Navigation of British India, from December 1866 to March 1883, in monthly parts. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Review of the Maritime Trade of British India with the other Countries for 1879-80, 1880-81, and 1881-82. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Annual Statements of the Trade and Navigation of British India.

Vol. I.—Foreign Trade.
For each year from 1876-77 to 1881-82.
Vol. II.—Coasting Trade; Trade of the French and Portuguese Possessions in India, and Trade of Aden.
For each year from 1876-77 to 1881-82.

Price, R5 per volume; packing and postage, 1 rupee.

Statistical Tables for British India, relating to Census, Emigration, Railways, Forests, Chinchona, Tea, Coffee and Cotton Cultivation, Cotton and Jute Mills, Breweries, Collieries, Joint Stock Companies, Salt and Customs Revenue, Foreign Trade and Shipping. Issues for 1880-81 and 1881-82. *Price, R3 per issue; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Accounts of the External Land Trade of British India from April 1880 to March 1882, in quarterly parts. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Ditto for the three months, April to June 1882. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Ditto for the six months, April to September 1882. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Review of the External Land Trade of British India (namely of the Trade which crosses the Frontier of British India from Sindh to Burma) for 1878-79, 1879-80, 1880-81, and 1881-82. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Finance and Revenue Accounts of the Government of India for the years 1867-68; 1868-69; 1869-70; 1870-71.—*Price, R2; packing and postage, 2 annas for each year.*

Finance and Revenue Accounts and Miscellaneous Statistics relating to the Finances of British India, in three Parts. *Price, R9-8; packing and postage, Re. 1.*

Part I.—*R2-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*
Part II.—*R3-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*
Part III.—*R3-8; packing and postage 8 annas.*

Selections from the Records of the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

No. XLVIII.—Journal of the Salween Surveying Expedition, and Report of the Karennee Mission, 1865. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. XLIX.—Journal of the Salween Surveying Expedition during the season 1864-65, with Route Map. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas.*

No. L.—Report on the Settlement of the Siam and Tenasserim Boundary, by Lieutenant A. H. Bagge, R. E., 1866. *Price, 12 annas; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. LIII.—Report on the Revenue Settlement of the Nursingpore District, Central Provinces, 1867; also Report on the Census of the Central Provinces taken in November 1866. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas.*

No. LV.—Report on the Land Revenue Settlement of the Dumoh District, Jubbulpore Division Central Provinces, effected by A. M. Russell, 1867. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas.*

No. LVI.—Report on the Land Revenue Settlement of the Wurdah District of the Central Provinces, effected by H. Rivett-Carnac, 1867. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas.*

☞ *The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, Calcutta.*

A Manual of Tibetan, being a Guide to the Colloquial Speech of Tibet, in a Series of Progressive Exercises, by Major T. H. Lewin, F.R.G.S., of the Bengal Staff Corps, late Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas.*

Copies are to be had at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

Examination Paper for Station Masters, Goods Clerks, Booking Clerks, Guards, Signallers, and menials employed on State Railways, by Mr. G. S. LEONARD, Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.* To be had on application from the Manager, Northern Bengal State Railway, Saidpore.

Publications for Sale at the Bengal Secretariat Press.

The Sale Use of Steam, in Bengali. *Price, 2 annas; postage, ½ anna.*

Distribution Return of Officers and Subordinates employed under District Road Cess Committees. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, 2 annas; postage, ½ anna.*

List of Officers of the Public Works Department, Bengal. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, 6 annas; postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

The Quarterly Civil List. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Reprint of the Report of the Rent Law Commission, with the draft of a Bill to consolidate and amend the law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal. Vols. I and II. *Price, R3-8; packing and postage, 9 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers engaged in the Administration of the Salt Department. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Administration of Wards' and Attached Estates. Revised edition. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Board's Rules, or Rules for the Guidance of Officers engaged in the administration of the Revenue Department in the Lower Provinces of Bengal. Revised edition, Vol. I. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R5; postage, 8 annas.*

Ditto ditto, Vol. II. *Price, R3; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R3-8; postage, 8 annas.*

☞ *Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to purchasers monthly, at R2 per annum, including postage.*

Rules for the Lease of Waste Lands in Bengal, May 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Opium Department. *Published by authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. Price, R3; postage, 2 annas.*

Bengali Translation of the Revised Salt Manual. *Price, 4 annas; postage, 6 pies.*

Civil Suits, 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Rules under the Cess Act, No. IX (B.C.) of 1880. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Pilots' Code of Signals, revised, enlarged, and arranged for use with three Geometrical Shapes in combination with the eighteen International Code Flags (on the plan of the Trinity Light-house Code), intended as a Supplement to the International Code of Signals. Also Calm or Line of Wind Signals; made with the above three shapes only. Concluding with the Morse Flashing Signals. Compiled by S. R. ELSON, Licensed Master Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service. Published by authority of the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 2 annas and 6 pies.*

The Bengal Embankment Manual: containing an account of the action of the Government in dealing with Embankments and Water-courses since the Permanent Settlement; a discussion of the principles of the Act of 1873; a reprint of the Act itself, with notes and appendices describing the present condition of Embankments under State control in Bengal, and the chief controversies concerning them. By HENRY LELAND HARRISON, B.A., C.S., late Mathematical Junior Student of Christ Church, Oxford. *Price, R2; with map, R3-4.*

The Factories' Act, XV of 1881, with Rules and Forms. *Price, 2 annas and 6 pies; packing and postage, ½ anna.*

Bengali Translations of the Rules and Notifications under the Arms Act issued by the Governments of India and Bengal. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Hindi Translation of the Rules and Noti-fications under the Indian Arms Act, 1878. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urya ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urdu ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Annual Report on Inland Emigration for 1880-81. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Papers regarding the Tea Industry in Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

List of the Trees, Shrubs, and large Climbers found in the Darjeeling District, Bengal. By J. S. GAMBLE, M.A., Assistant Conservator of Forests, Bengal. *Price, R1-8; postage, 1 anna.*

Report on the Census of Calcutta and its Suburbs, 1881. *Price R4; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1881-82. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1879-80. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1878-79. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 6 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1877-78. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3-8; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1876-77. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R5; Colored Map, R2-8.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Ganja in Bengal. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Collector, on special duty. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Jute in Bengal, and on Indian Fibres available for the Manufacture of Paper; with Map. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Magistrate, on special duty. *Price, R8; postage, 7 annas.*

Report on the Food-grain Supply and Statistical Review of the Relief Operations in the distressed districts of Behar and Bengal during the Famine of 1873-74. By A. P. MACDONNELL, of the Bengal Civil Service. *Price, R3-8; postage, 6 annas.*

Prices of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in Bengal from 1866 to 1878, compiled in the Bengal Secretariat, Statistical Department. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Report on the Census of Bengal, 1872 By H. BEVERLEY, Esq., C.S., Registrar-General of Bengal. *Price, R10; postage, 9 annas.*

Report on the Effects of Artificial Respi-ration, Intravenous Injection of Ammonia, and Administration of various Drugs, &c., in India and Australian Snake-poisoning; and the Physiological, Chemical and Microscopical Nature of Snake-poisons. By the Commission appointed to investigate the subject. *Price, R9; postage, 4 annas.*

Memorandum on the Revenue History of Chittagong. By H. J. S. COTTON, Esq., Collector and Magistrate of Chittagong. *Price, R3-4; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

A Report on the District of Jessore: its Antiquities, its History and its Commerce. (Second Edition, Revised and Corrected.) By J. WESTLAND, Esq., C.S., late Magistrate and Collector of Jessore. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1881-82. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1879-80. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1878-79. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1877-78. *Price, R4-8; postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1876-77. *Price, R4-8; postage, 6 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1875-76. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1874-75. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1874-75. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R4; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1873-74. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1872-73. *Price, R7-8; postage, 10 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1873. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R4; postage, 2 annas.*

Report of the Vizagapatam and Backer-gunge Cyclones of October 1876. By J. ELIOT, Esq., M.A., Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

The Winds of Northern India. By H. F. BLANFORD, Esq., Meteorological Reporter to Government. *Price, R1 per copy; postage, 2 annas.*

A Statistical Account of Bengal. By W. W. HUNTER, B.A., LL.D., Director-General of Statistics to the Government of India.

Vol.	I.	24-Pergunnahs and Sundarbans.
Vol.	II.	Nadiya and Jessore.
Vol.	III.	Midnapur, Hugli and Howrah.
Vol.	IV.	Bardwan, Bankura and Birbhum.
Vol.	V.	Dacca, Bakarganj, Faridpur and Maimansing.
Vol.	VI.	Chittagong Hill Tracts, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tipperah and Hill Tipperah.
Vol.	VII.	Maldah, Rangpur and Dinagepur.

Vol. VIII. Rajshahi and Bogra.
Vol. IX. Murshidabad and Pabna.
Vol. X. Darjiling, Jalpaiguri and Kuch Behar State.
Vol. XI. Patna and Saran.
Vol. XII. Gaya and Shahabad.
Vol. XIII. Tirhut and Champaran.
Vol. XIV. Bhagalpur and Santal Parganas.
Vol. XV. Monghyr and Purniah.
Vol. XVI. Hazaribagh and Lohardaga.
Vol. XVII. Singbhum, Tributary States and Manbhum
Vol. XVIII. Cuttack and Balasor.
Vol. XIX. Puri and Tributary States of Orissa.
Vol. XX. Fisheries and Botany of Bengal, with General Index.
Vol. XX. General Index only.

Price, per volume, R4; postage, 5 annas.

Manual of Materia Medica in Urdu, compiled by SHAIK AKBAR ALLY, Civil Hospital Assistant, Dinapore. *Price, 8 annas per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Buddha Gayá, the Hermitage of Sákya Muni. By Rájendralála Mitra, LL.D., C.I.E., Honorary Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Physical Class of the Imperial Academy of Sciences, Vienna; Corresponding Member of the German and of the American Oriental Societies; of the Royal Academy of Science, Hungary, and of the Ethnological Society of Berlin; Fellow of the Royal Society of Northern Antiquaries, Copenhagen, &c., &c. *Price, R30; packing and postage, R1-4.*

Further Notes on the Rungpore Records, Vol. II. By E. G. GLAZIER, Esq., C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore. *Price, R1; postage, 2 annas.*

Selection of Papers regarding the Hill Tracts between Assam and Burma, and on the Upper Brahmapooter. *Price, R5; postage, 4 annas.*

Selections from Divisional and District Annual Administration Reports, 1872-73, with the Government Resolutions on them. *Price, R5; postage, 6 annas.*

Selections from the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*, 1871 to 1874. *Price, R4-8; postage, 8 annas.*

Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the Dzo or Kuki Language. With Vocabularies and Popular Tales (notated). By Captain THOMAS HERBERT LEWIN, B.S.C., Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Hills. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas.*

Notes on the History of Midnapore, as contained in records extant in the Collector's Office. By J. C. PRICE, Officiating Settlement Officer of Midnapore. Vol. I. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

Descriptive Ethnology of Bengal. By EDWARD TUITE DALTON, C.S.I., Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps; Commissioner of Chutia Nagpur; Member of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, &c. *Illustrated by Lithograph Portraits copied from Photographs.* Printed for the Government of Bengal, under the direction of the Council of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.

Price—Bound copies	R45	0	0
„ Unbound copies	„ 35	0	0

The Statistical Reporter, edited by H. J. S. COTTON, Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Vol. I, bound in full cloth, lettered	R10	0	0
Vol. II, ditto ditto	„ 10	0	0
Single copies of monthly Nos.	„ 2	0	0

Annual Statement of the Sea-borne Trade and Navigation of the Bengal Presidency, and of its Chief Port and each of the Subordinate Ports, with Foreign Countries, for the official year 1875-76. Vol. I. *Price, R12; postage, 10 annas.*

Rules for the Examination of, and grant of Certificates of Competency to, Masters, Mates and Engineers. *Price, R1; postage, 1 anna.*

Abstract of the Rules of the Road at Sea, in English. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Ditto ditto in Arabic. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Sanitary Primers in English and in Bengali. *Price, R6 per hundred, including transit and packing charges; single copies, 1 anna each.*

The Book named below having been declared a part of the obligatory equipment of Emigrant vessels, is now obtainable at the Bengal Secretariat Press at the price noted:—

West India Pilot, Vol. II	R6	0	0

☞ *Cash must be sent with order.*

Apply to Accountant, Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

The 9th February 1883.—The subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette* will henceforward be at the following rates, payable in advance:—

For the Mofussil.

	R	a.	p.	
Entire Gazette	15	0	0	per annum.
Postage	5	0	0	„
Supplement	6	0	0	„
Postage	3	0	0	„
Parts III, IV, V, and VI, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Councils of India and Bengal	5	0	0	„
Postage	2	8	0	„

For a single copy—

Entire Gazette	0	8	0	
Postage	0	2	0	
Supplement	0	4	0	
Postage	0	1	0	
Parts III, IV, V, and VI	0	1	0	for 4 sheets or under with an additional charge of 1 anna for every 4 sheets in excess of 4.
Postage	0	1	0	

For Calcutta.

The same rates as those for the mofussil, with the exception of the charge for postage.

E. N. BAKER,
Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation

PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

On 28th June 1883, the Government Promissory Note, No. 163257, of the 4 per cent. of 1865, for R500, originally standing in the name of Kanye Lal Sein, and lastly blank endorsed by Prosad Das Boral, on 2nd June 1883, in favour of the undersigned proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

BUNKU LAL DHUR,
8, Roopchand Roy's Street,
Calcutta.

SUPPLEMENT TO

The Gazette of India.

No 28.] CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1883.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT *to the* GAZETTE OF INDIA *will be published from time to time, containing such Official Papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as may usefully be made known.*

Non-Subscribers to the GAZETTE *may receive the* SUPPLEMENT *separately on a payment of six Rupees per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or nine Rupees if sent by Post.*

No Official Orders or Notifications, the publication of which in the GAZETTE OF INDIA *is required by Law, or which it has been customary to publish in the* CALCUTTA GAZETTE, *will be included in the* SUPPLEMENT. *For such Orders and Notifications the body of the* GAZETTE *must be looked to.*

GOVERNMEN

DEPARTMENT OF FIN

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOU

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*.			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*.		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
›jam	10 5	10 5	11 13	...	...	...	17 13	17 13	17 13	22 13	22 13	19 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
agapatam	13 8	12 6	10 8	...	...	...	8 6	8 6	9 0	11 5	11 5	11 5	24 13	24 13	22 11	23 13	21 13	21 13
lavery	10 13	10 13	11 11	...	...	...	10 14	10 14	13 14	14 0	14 0	18 0	23 0	23 0	29 13	...	...	...
tua	9 5	8 13	14 11	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	15 2	14 11	14 11	16 5	17 3	21 13	25 0	...	...	...
llore	5 13	7 3	14 6	...	...	...	11 14	14 13	15 13	15 0	16 0	18 0	20 3	20 3	33 10	...	...	...
ldapah	14 11	14 11	14 11	...	...	...	12 6	12 6	12 6	13 5	13 5	14 2	28 6	28 6	28 6	31 14	30 6	30 6
ntapur	13 6	13 6	14 6	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	15 0	12 5	12 5	16 3	30 14	30 14	33 0	30 2	30 2	18 13
lary	17 5	18 3	17 5	...	...	...	12 5	12 5	12 5	13 8	13 8	13 8	35 0	41 3	30 14	28 3	30 2	24 6
nool	13 5	15 3	14 10	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 10	11 13	11 13	11 6	32 14	32 3	27 6	30 0	27 8	27 8
dras	11 5	11 5	11 0	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	14 3	15 2	15 8	15 8	21 10	21 10	23 0	25 2	26 6	26 6
ngleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 3	15 6	15 6	15 8	16 10	16 10	...	...	...	21 2	21 2	...
rth Arcot	9 11	9 11	11 0	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	15 14	17 14	17 14	16 14	29 2	29 2	32 13	28 0	28 0	30 8
th Arcot	10 8	10 14	10 2	...	...	...	16 2	16 8	15 3	17 2	17 2	16 3	...	30 3	33 10	25 13	26 3	27 5
jore	11 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	17 6	17 6	18 5	...	...	...	35 0	38 3	...	31 14	31 14	31 14
chinopoly	10 10	10 10	9 10	...	...	...	15 13	15 8	15 13	16 5	15 14	16 5	...	...	28 0	30 8	30 8	27 14
dura	12 8	13 5	12 8	...	...	...	16 6	16 13	16 6	17 11	17 11	16 14	32 6	32 6	29 3	32 5	30 14	32 5
nevelly	9 14	9 14	9 3	...	...	...	16 5	19 14	16 5	17 10	20 2	16 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
mbatore	13 14	14 13	12 5	...	...	...	13 14	13 14	14 6	14 14	14 14	15 6	27 0	26 2	28 11	27 0	27 0	35 0
giris	10 10	9 14	9 14	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	9 10	12 0	12 0	11 3	20 0	20 0	18 8	21 0	21 0	18 3
em	14 6	13 10	12 11	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	16 14	16 0	29 2	26 14	27 5	26 8	24 10	22 14
th Canara	8 3	9 0	8 10	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	9 11	11 13	12 3	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
labar	8 10	9 0	7 3	...	...	...	14 10	14 10	15 0	15 13	15 13	15 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
mbay	10 9	10 3	10 4	23 11	23 8	16 14	8 2	7 8	7 10	12 6	13 1	12 13	18 15	18 14	18 7	15 1	15 15	15 9
medabad	12 0	11 8	12 8	20 0	17 0	...	7 8	8 0	6 8	12 0	13 0	8 0	17 0	17 8	17 0	15 0	15 0	14 0
ira	11 7	11 7	11 7	21 5	21 5	20 0	9 11	9 11	9 2	16 0	14 4	14 9	17 12	17 12	16 0	14 14	14 4	14 0
at	11 6	11 6	13 6	12 7	12 8	5 6	7 9	7 9	7 7	8 7	8 7	8 5	19 1	19 1	15 9	14 3	14 3	11 13
ach	12 4½	12 10	12 5	...	...	...	10 0	10 14	9 6½	11 7	13 7	12 9	16 0	17 9	16 0	13 14	14 1	15 4
na (Salsette)	9 12	9 12	9 3	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	8 3	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 10	18 10	18 10	15 0	15 0	15 0
ába (Alibág)	9 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	14 0	14 8	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
ndesh (Dhulia)	14 0	15 12	14 9	...	...	...	8 1	8 0	7 4	12 10	12 10	10 15	16 0	18 9	23 13	14 4	16 0	18 14
sik	14 4	14 4	15 8	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	13 6	13 6	12 0	22 6	22 6	...	15 5	15 5	21 8
medunagar	13 2	13 2	14 11	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	10 2	12 2	12 0	13 13	21 14	21 14	26 9	16 12	17 3	23 2
na	12 10	12 10	12 10	9 4	9 4	...	9 13	9 13	11 0	11 10	11 0	12 4	19 9	19 7	21 12	16 2	16 2	18 6
olápur	14 8	14 8	13 2	...	...	...	10 15	10 7	10 15	11 5	11 5	11 5	25 14	26 12	31 8	20 3	23 12	23 7
ládgi (Bagalkot)	18 12	20 0	20 12	17 0	17 8	15 0	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 12	12 0	9 0	27 0	29 0	33 0	26 0	27 0	31 0
ara	12 1	12 1	12 1	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	9 11	11 7	11 7	11 7	16 5	16 5	25 5	15 8	15 8	22 0
lgaum	18 0	18 13	19 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	10 8	11 10	10 0	11 0	12 2	11 0	18 0	20 4	26 0	19 0	21 0	24 0
arwar (Hubli)	23 0	24 0	21 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	11 0	23 0	27 0	24 0	24 0	26 0	23 0
nágiri	9 14	10 9	10 9	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	8 9	14 2	14 2	13 7	20 13	20 13	18 3	14 11	14 11	14 11
nara (Karwar)	11 8	13 0	9 0	1 6	...	...	7 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...
ach Mahals (Godhra)	11 6	11 6	11 6	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	11 6	15 0	15 0	15 0	22 13	22 13	22 8	16 0	16 0	16 0
en	9 5	9 5	8 0	...	...	...	6 3	6 3	6 3	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 7	12 7	11 3	11 3	11 3	9 5
rgarh	13 9	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 2	12 7	11 4	14 8	15 0	12 7	18 6	18 8	24 0	18 5	21 0	24 0
roua	9 5	10 5	9 12½	15 3	14 0	14 0	8 3	8 3	8 12	11 11	11 10	11 10½	15 3	14 0	16 0½	13 7	13 6	14 0
s	13 8	13 15	13 4	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	6 6	9 0	9 0	8 11	17 0	19 3	18 8	17 0	18 8	16 8
nach	15 4	15 0	13 0	21 0	21 0	16 8	9 0	9 4	8 8	9 4	10 0	10 0	19 0	18 8	17 8	12 0	12 0	16 0
nirabad	16 8¾	16 8	15 15	23 0	24 3½	21 11¾	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	22 10	23 8	24 0	17 8	18 1¾	17 8
kot	14 2	14 0	12 2	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 0	10 12	11 4	11 0	17 8	17 10	14 6	14 0	14 0	12 4
er Sindh Frontier	14 4	13 12	14 0	25 8	24 8	26 0	13 4	13 4	11 4	17 8	17 8	22 12	32 0	32 0	33 8	32 0	30 4	...
nchi	13 13	13 13	12 5	22 0	22 0	22 0	9 0	9 8	9 0	17 0	18 0	12 0	24 0	23 0	20 0	17 0	18 0	19 0
durabad (Nakur)	16 0	16 0	16 0	35 0	30 0	25 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	17 8	20 0	30 0	27 0	26 0	26 0	24 0	25 0
narpur	14 2	14 2	13 10½	25 12	25 0	26 5	12 13	12 7	12 12½	19 0	17 8	18 0	30 0	29 12	26 5	30 0	28 0	29 5
kur	14 8	13 8	14 0	29 8	29 8	30 8	12 8	12 8	11 4	19 8	19 8	19 0	29 8	29 8	29 8	27 8	26 8	26 0
a & Parkar (Umarkot)	14 0	14 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 3	14 4	...	...	...	16 8	16 12	19 5
Western Districts.																		
dwan	15 8	14 8	14 0	30 0	30 0	21 0	19 0	19 8	25 8	24 0	25 0	28 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
coorah	14 0	14 0	18 8	19 0	19 0	18 0	18 12	19 0	25 0	24 0	24 8	35 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
rbhoom	15 12	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 8	18 0	22 4	21 0	22 8	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
napore	14 0	15 0	16 0	17 0	14 0	...	18 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ghly	13 8	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 8	18 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
nah	13 0	13 0	13 4	...	...	...	14 8	14 0	16 4	20 0	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

INDIA.

NCE AND COMMERCE.

DIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF JUNE 1883.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

...ser Millet, Ragi, &c. Kavaru, Tagu, Sawee, ...heena, Kaloo, Murna, ... Panicum Italicum, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.										
									Wholesale.			Retail.							
...ing fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.					
Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.					
3	35 3	35 3	40 0	36 10	26 10	215 13	215 13	215 13	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	13 13	Ganjam	MADRAS.			
3	20 3	23 13	32 13	32 13	24 10	87 8	87 8	93 5	14 10	14 10	15 3	14 0	14 5	14 10	Vizagapatam				
2	29 2	33 11	31 8	31 8	26 3	194 6	194 6	194 6	13 8	12 8	14 10	13 8	12 8	14 10	Godavery				
8	24 14	35 5	27 6	25 10	25 10	145 13	145 13	145 13	15 11	15 11	16 5	15 3	15 3	15 11	Kistna				
3	27 5	36 6	23 2	23 2	28 5	93 5	93 5	186 10	15 14	14 13	14 13	15 14	14 13	14 13	Nellore				
8	30 0	31 8	34 6	33 8	31 0	194 6	194 6	194 6	17 2	17 8	16 10	16 10	17 2	16 3	Cuddapah				
0	31 0	31 0	38 2	38 2	35 13	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	Anantapur				
14	34 14	29 2	35 13	33 10	28 0	94 13	94 13	97 3	15 13	15 13	15 8	15 8	15 8	14 11	Bellary				
3	...	...	28 8	27 0	27 0	179 13	190 8	194 6	14 6	14 6	14 6	14 0	14 0	14 0	Kurnool				
0	27 6	28 13	26 8	27 5	26 2	86 5	83 13	81 6	16 14	16 14	16 11	16 8	16 8	16 3	Madras				
11	24 11	28 13	25 11	27 5	24 13	92 5	92 5	92 5	17 13	17 5	17 0	17 5	16 14	16 5	Chingleput				
8	32 8	34 3	31 8	31 8	26 10	140 0	140 0	140 0	15 6	15 6	14 13	14 13	14 13	14 5	North Arcot				
10	27 0	28 10	28 13	30 10	28 6	201 11	201 11	201 11	17 8	18 6	19 5	16 10	18 0	18 14	South Arcot				
3	36 3	39 5	29 11	30 10	31 8	194 6	194 6	194 6	15 10	15 10	15 10	14 11	14 11	15 10	Tanjore				
11	32 11	31 6	32 5	32 5	33 14	97 3	97 3	97 3	17 13	17 13	17 0	17 0	17 0	16 3	Trichinopoly				
5	39 8	34 2	38 5	40 8	42 11	155 8	121 8	145 13	17 13	17 5	16 10	16 13	16 13	16 6	Madura				
..	...	...	39 10	39 10	29 11	70 0	70 0	81 10	18 11	18 11	18 11	18 5	18 5	18 5	Tinnevelly				
3	29 8	29 8	32 5	32 5	30 6	131 3	131 3	131 3	15 2	15 2	15 2	14 10	14 10	14 10	Coimbatore				
10	21 10	20 3	24 14	24 14	20 11	161 13	161 13	121 8	13 0	13 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	Nilgiris				
8	32 8	30 13	39 6	39 6	39 6	151 10	151 10	151 10	16 0	15 6	16 6	15 6	14 5	15 0	Salem				
10	15 13	22 0	22 3	22 3	21 3	111 13	109 5	116 10	15 6	15 14	11 0	14 11	14 14	10 0	South Canara				
14	22 10	20 6	26 14	25 3	25 3	121 8	121 8	121 8	14 6	14 6	14 6	13 8	13 8	13 8	Malabar				
4	16 3	14 1	15 13	15 12	17 3	62 6	62 6	54 9	16 12	16 12	14 5	14 6	14 6	14 5	Bombay	BOMBAY.			
..	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	16 8	16 8	16 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	Ahmedabad				
..	...	...	16 0	16 0	19 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	Kaira				
..	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 14	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 9	13 9	13 10	13 9	13 9	13 10	Surat				
..	...	...	13 14	16 0	16 0	106 0	106 0	108 0	15 9	15 9	15 4	14 8¾	15 1	15 4	Broach				
11	25 11	25 11	13 4	13 4	15 4	71 1	71 1	71 1	14 5	14 5	14 5	13 4	13 4	12 12	Tanna (Salsette)				
..	...	...	11 8	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	14 8	16 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	13 0	Colaba (Alibag)				
..	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 15	140 0	140 0	140 0	16 0	16 0	15 6	15 14	15 14	15 0	Khandesh (Dhulia)				
11	23 0	30 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	15 8	15 8	14 6	15 5	15 5	14 2	Násik				
..	...	...	18 10	18 2	20 1	89 4	79 12	91 5	14 10	14 14	14 9	14 6	14 10	14 7	Ahmednagar				
6	15 6	...	16 2	16 2	18 6	68 0	68 0	68 0	13 10	14 11	13 10	13 6	14 7	13 6	Poona				
..	...	...	19 3	21 0	21 7	74 2	91 0	80 0	13 8	13 8	13 12	13 4	13 4	13 8	Sholapur				
..	...	...	18 0	19 8	16 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	11 2	12 0	11 12	10 12	11 12	11 0	Kaladgi (Bagalkot)				
..	...	..	16 14	16 14	15 10	116 8	122 10	110 15	13 13	13 13	12 6	13 2	13 2	11 10	Satara				
10	20 4	35 0	16 8	16 8	14 8	65 0	65 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	Belgaum				
0	33 0	28 0	18 0	18 0	12 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	9 8	10 3	8 12	9 0	10 0	8 0	Dharwar (Hubli)				
2	21 2	21 2	14 0	14 0	14 0	150 0	150 0	120 0	14 6	14 6	11 13	14 4	14 4	11 10	Ratnágiri				
0	18 0	21 0	12 8	13 0	12 0	213 5	213 5	213 5	12 8	14 0	13 4	11 8	13 0	12 8	Kanara (Karwar)				
10	26 10	23 0	22 13	22 13	25 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 4	15 4	15 4	Pánch Mahals (Godhra)				
..	...	...	9 5	9 5	9 5	65 5	65 5	65 5	...	...	...	32 0	32 0	32 0	Aden				
..	...	...	18 0	17 12	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 4	12 0	12 0	12 4	Asirgarh				
..	...	...	15 3	15 2	17 8	...	...	75 13	14 5	14 9	14 10¼	14 0	14 9	14 9¼	Baroda				
..	...	...	17 0	17 8	18 8	137 8	137 8	137 8	12 8	12 8	13 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	Disa				
..	...	...	19 8	20 0	17 0	160 0	180 0	160 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	11 0	Nimach				
..	...	...	25 0	25 0	21 9¼	80 0	80 0	85 0	16 2	16 2	16 6¼	15 8	15 9¼	16 0	Nasirabad				
..	...	...	16 0	16 2	16 0	85 0	90 0	80 0	60 0	65 0	52 8	50 0	50 0	48 0	Rajkot				
0	...	40 0	24 8	22 8	22 4	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 12¼*	12 12¼*	12 4¼*	12 8*	12 8*	12 4*	Upper Sindh Frontier				
8	9 8	9 8	18 0	18 0	20 0	105 0	105 0	103 0	17 13	17 13	14 3	17 0	17 0	14 0	Karachi				
0	24 0	...	22 0	20 0	16 0	320 0	320 0	480 0	14 8	14 8	14 0	14 8	14 8	14 0	Hadarabad (Nakur)				
..	...	...	23 12	22 2	19 7	260 0	280 0	280 0	13 8	14 0	13 2	13 6	13 14	13 0	Shikarpur				
..	...	...	23 8	23 8	19 4	125 0	120 0	160 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	Sukkur				
..	...	...	...	...	...	120 0	120 0	160 0	14 12	13 8	10 11	14 12	13 8	10 11	Thar and Parkar (Umarkot)				
									Prices per md. of 40 seers.										
									R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.				*Western Districts.*	BENGAL.			
..	...	...	21 0	20 0	24 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 1 3	3 1 0	2 12 0	12 0a	12 4	13 12	Burdwan				
..	...	...	18 8	18 8	20 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	3 3 6	3 3 6	...	12 0b	12 0	13 0	Bancoorah				
..	...	...	21 0	21 0	24 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	3 10 3	3 5 0	3 3 6	10 8c	11 4	12 0	Beerbhoom				
..	...	...	16 0	14 0	20 0	155 0	155 0	160 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	13 0d	13 0	13 8	Midnapore				
..	...	...	17 0	17 0	21 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	13 9e	13 9	13 9	Hooghly				
..	...	...	17 0	19 0	21 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	Howrah				

* In common use.

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Districts.	Wheat. Present fortnight.	Wheat. Past fortnight.	Wheat. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Barley. Present fortnight.	Barley. Past fortnight.	Barley. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (best sort). Present fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Past fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (common). Present fortnight.	Rice (common). Past fortnight.	Rice (common). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*. Present fortnight.	Great Millet. Past fortnight.	Great Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Baira), *Penicillaria Spicata*. Present fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Past fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Central Districts.																		
lcutta	14 4	14 4	13 5	19 6	18 13	26 8	10 5	10 5	10 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	23 2	20 0	19 6	...
-Pergunnahs	13 5	13 5	13 5	16 0	16 0	20 3	8 0	9 0	10 8	14 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	19 0	...	...	...
ddea	14 8	14 8	15 4	22 15	22 15	26 0	15 4	15 4	18 13	17 4	17 4	21 5½	...	...	...	...	...	...
hoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	...	25 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ssore	14 8	19 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 12	22 12	22 12	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
orshedabad	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	19 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
nagepore	11 0	12 12	10 8	11 0	11 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	20 6	20 0	25 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
jshahye	16 8	17 4	16 8	30 0	35 0	48 12	13 8 to 16 0	13 8 to 16 0	18 0 to 18 12	17 4 to 18 0	16 8 to 18 0	21 0 to 24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ngpore	11 7	11 7	15 0	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 3	16 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
gra	15 0	15 0	15 12	...	...	...	12 0	13 8	18 0	24 0	24 0	28 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
bna	19 8	18 12	18 0	...		...	8 0	8 0	10 0	17 4	19 8	23 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
rjeeling	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 0	6 0	5 0	9 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
lpáiguri	10 0	10 0	9 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 4	16 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Districts.																		
cca	14 8	14 4	15 4	19 0	19 0	40 0	15 12	16 0	20 10	19 4	19 4	26 6	...	...	...	...	21 8	...
rreedpore	20 0	24 0	21 0	30 0	37 0	35 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	18 0	20 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ckergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	22 0	21 0	20 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
mensingh	12 0	12 8	11 8	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	22 8	17 8	18 0	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
pperah	12 12	12 12	13 4	...	...	...	17 8	17 4	22 8	20 0	19 12	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ittagong	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
akholly	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	23 0	27 0	22 0	26 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	10 0	16 0	13 4	11 8	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
ll Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	24 0	20 0	22 0	34 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Behar.																		
tna	17 8	17 8	16 8	32 0	32 0	34 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	19 0	19 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
a.	20 0	20 0	17 8	27 0	26 0	29 0	12 0	12 8	12 0	16 0	16 8	20 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
ahabad	17 0 to 18 0	17 0 to 18 0	15 0 to 17 0	27 0	29 0	30 0	11 8 to 12 0	10 0	20 0 to 21 0	15 8 to 16 0	16 0 to 17 0	22 0	25 0	30 0	...	30 0	...	...
rbhunga	17 0	18 0	15 0	35 0	35 0	35 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
zufferpore	17 0	20 0	17 0	28 0	30 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
run	17 0	17 0	16 0	27 0	29 0	32 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	29 0	32 0	37 0	...	...	...
mparun	19 0	18 0	19 0	40 0	40 0	38 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ughyr	18 14	19 3	16 12	31 8	28 5	31 8	14 10	15 12	15 11	16 12	16 12	18 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
ágalpur	16 6	16 6	15 2	27 8	30 5	34 0	15 12	16 6	18 5	17 10	17 11	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
rneah	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	22 0	18 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ldah	17 8	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	19 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
thal Pergunnahs	14 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	22 0	22 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.																		
tack	11 13	11 13	13 2	...	...	...	14 7	15 12	15 12	23 10*	24 15	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
ree	13 2	11 13	12 8	...	...	...	21 0	23 10	22 0	23 10	32 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ssore	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	26 0	28 0	32 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpore.																		
uth-Western Frontier Agency.																		
záribágh	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	20 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
hardugga	17 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	24 0	28 0	18 0	20 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
gbhoom	20 0	20 0	22 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	36 0	36 0	36 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
nbhoom	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	18 0	16 0	19 0	27 0	24 0	34 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

In the interior prices range from 31-8 to 30-6 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Barasat and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 10-8 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kooshtea 12-12 seers, Meherpore and Ranaghat 12 seers and Choondanga 12-8 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Bagirhat 11 seers and Satkhira 10 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Jhenidah, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungipore 9-8 seers, and Kandi 11-8 seers.
Retail prices of salt at Raigunge 11-8 seers and Neetpore 12 seers.
In Nattore and Nowgong retail price of salt 12 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Nilphamari 12 seers, and Kurigram and Gaibanda 10 seers.
In Serajgunge retail price of salt 12 seers.
Retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers and Silligoree 10 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Maniokgunge 12 seers, Naraingunge 12-8 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Madaripore 13 seers, Bhanga 11 seers, and Gopalgunge 12-12 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Patuakhali 10-10 seers, Bhola 9 seers, and Ferozepore 10 seers.
In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kishoregunge 10-10 seers, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11 seers, and Nitrokona 12-5 seers.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

...er Millets, Ragi, &c. ...avaru, Veragu, Sawee, ...asena, Coraloo, Murhwa, Nagleel, *Panicum Miliaceum*, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt. Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.			Salt. Retail.			Districts.	Provinces.
Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		
Ch. S. Ch.	S. Ch.		S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
															Central Districts.	
...	...		17 12	18 13	23 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	14 0	14 0	13 8	Calcutta	Bengal—*continued.*
...	...		16 0	17 8	20 0	80 0	90 0	80 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	13 5*f*	13 5	13 5	24-Pergunnahs	
...	...		20 0	20 0	22 15	...	...	...	3 1 11	3 1 11	2 13 0	11 10½*g*	11 10½	12 13½	Nuddea	
...	...		16 0	16 0	...	180 0	180 0	...	3 4 0	3 2 0	...	10 8*h*	11 0	...	Khoolna	
...	...		20 0	20 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	11 0*i*	10 12	11 8	Jessore	
...	...		27 0	27 0	26 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	12 0*j*	12 8	12 8	Moorshedabad	
...	...		17 8	15 0	17 4	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	3 4 0	11 8*k*	11 0	12 0	Pinagepore	
...	...		21 0	21 0	24 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	3 12 9	3 8 3	3 5 3	10 8*l*	11 4	12 0	Rajshahye	
...	...		16 0	16 0	15 0	110 0	110 0	135 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 3	11 14*m*	11 14	11 8	Rungpore	
...	...		15 12	15 0	15 12	67 8	80 0	67 8	3 6 8	3 8 8	3 5 4	10 8	9 12	10 8	Bogra	
...	...		18 0	18 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	11 4*n*	11 4	12 0	Pubna	
9 0	8 0		8 0	8 0	8 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	8 0*o*	8 0	8 0	Darjeeling	
...	...		14 0	14 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Jalpaiguri	
															Eastern Districts.	
...	...		14 8	14 8	22 10	90 0	90 0	91 4	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 15 0	12 4*p*	12 4	13 5	Dacca	
...	...		16 0	16 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	...	3 5 0	3 5 0	2 15 5	12 0*q*	12 0	12 0	Furreedpore	
...	...		18 0	18 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 11 0	13 0*r*	13 0	10 9	Backergunge	
...	...		13 4	12 8	17 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	12 4*s*	12 0	12 8	Mymensingh	
...	...		13 14	12 12	18 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	12 4*t*	12 0	12 12	Tipperah	
...	...		12 0	12 0	16 0	40 0	60 0	80 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	9 0*u*	9 0	12 0	Chittagong	
...	...		12 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 4 0	10 0*v*	10 0	10 0	Noakholly	
...	...		...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	3 8 0	6 1	6 1	10 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts	
...	...		12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	Hill Tipperah	
															Behar.	
...	...		29 8	29 8	30 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	10 8	10 8	10 9	Patna	
...	...		25 0	38 8	28 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	Gya	
...	...		28 0	24 0 to 28 0	32 0	110 0	120 0	120 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	12 8*w*	12 8	12 8	Shahabad	
40 0	35 0		25 0	25 0	27 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 4 6	10 0*x*	10 0	11 0	Durbhunga	
...	...		25 0	25 0	28 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 9 0	11 8*y*	12 0	12 8	Mozufferpore	
32 0	32 0		27 0	28 0	31 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	11 0	11 0	11 8	Sarun	
...	...		28 0	26 0	30 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 8 0	11 8*z*	11 8	11 0	Chumparun	
...	...		26 4	27 4	36 12	126 0	126 0	147 0	3 2 3	3 2 6	3 1 0	12 1*z1*	12 0	12 14	Monghyr	
...	...		24 10	25 4	29 0	151 8	189 8	138 14	3 3 1	3 6 0	2 10 0	12 10*z2*	12 10	12 10	Bhagalpur	
...	...		20 0	22 0	23 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	10 0*z3*	10 0	10 0	Purneah	
...	...		23 0	22 0	26 0	160 0	120 0	120 0	3 7 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	Maldah	
...	...		20 0	20 0	22 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	4 7 0	...	...	9 0	10 0	10 8	Sonthal Pergunnahs	
															Orissa.	
13 2	14 7		18 6	21 0	22 5	80 0	80 0	160 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	Cuttack	
...	...		18 6	19 11	14 0	104 0	105 0	102 0	2 12 0	2 11 0	...	14 0*z4*	14 0	13 0	Pooree	
...	...		14 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	...	...	3 2 0	8 0*z5*	8 0	13 0	Balasore	
															CHOTA NAGPUR.	
															South-Western Frontier Agency.	
30 0	42 0		18 0	18 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	3 15 3	3 9 9	3 11 3	9 9*z6*	11 0	10 0	Hazáribágh	
30 0	38 0		14 0	15 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	130 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	9 0*z7*	9 8	9 0	Lohardugga	
...	...		24 0	24 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Singbhoom	
...	...		17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	3 7 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	10 0*z8*	10 0	11 0	Manbhoom	

u Retail price of salt at Kumeriah 10 seers, and Hathazaree and Cox's Bazar 8 seers.
v In the interior retail prices of salt range from 8 to 12-4 seers.
w In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Sasseram and Bhaboon 10-8 seers and Buxar 11 seers.
x In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Madhubani 10 seers and Tajpur 12 seers.
y In Hazipore sub-division retail price of salt in some places 11 seers and in others 12 seers.
z In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 12-8 seers.
z1 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Beguserai 10-4 seers and Jamui 11 seers.
z2 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Banka and Soopole 11 seers and Muddehpoora 10-8 seers.
z3 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kissengunge 9 seers and Arrareah (at Banceegunge) 11 seers.
z4 In Khoorda retail price of salt 13 seers.
z5 In Bhadrak retail price of salt 10 seers.
z6 Retail price of salt at Chutra 10 seers and Khurruckdiha 11 seers.
z7 Retail price of salt at Daltongunge 9 seers.
z8 Retail price of salt at Burrabazar 11 seers.

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Districts.	Wheat. Present fortnight.	Wheat. Past fortnight.	Wheat. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Barley. Present fortnight.	Barley. Past fortnight.	Barley. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (best sort). Present fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Past fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (common). Present fortnight.	Rice (common). Past fortnight.	Rice (common). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Great Millet (Chotum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*. Present fortnight.	Great Millet. Past fortnight.	Great Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajrá), *Penicillaria Spicata*. Present fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Past fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
ylhet	13 4	13 4	11 12	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	17 8	17 8	35 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
achar	9 2	10 0	9 2	13 5	16 0	16 0	13 5	12 13	21 5	16 0	13 5	25 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
ólpárá	20 0	22 0	26 11	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 5	18 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
áro Hills	4 0	4 0	4 0	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ámrúp	18 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	11 0	15 4	15 4	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
arrang	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
owgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	13 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ibságar	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
akhimpur	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	10 0	6 0	7 8	7 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
hási & Jaintiá Hills	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ága Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dehra Dún	19 0	18 8	19 0	31 0	31 0	30 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	24 0	26 0	22 0	26 0	26 0	20 0
aharanpur	20 15½	21 8	20 7	32 4	34 6½	29 1	8 9½	8 9½	9 11	11 13	12 14½	12 14	26 14	25 13	25 13	17 3	21 8	23 10
uzaffarnagar	19 12	20 4	18 11	35 5	35 5	28 11	6 9	6 9	6 9	12 2	12 2	14 5	33 0	35 5	26 6	26 6	26 6	22 0
eerut	18 8	19 0	18 0	30 0	31 0	24 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	29 0	31 0	25 0	21 0	23 0	21 0
ulandshahr	19 14	21 0	18 14	27 8	29 0	23 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 15	11 0	10 15	28 0	27 0	23 0	18 0	18 0	30 0
ligarh	18 0	18 0	17 8	26 0	27 0	22 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	12 0	12 0	15 8	28 0	28 0	24 8	16 0	18 0	19 0
umaun	15 0	15 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
arhwál	22 0	18 0	23 8	23 0	20 0	25 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	30 0*	27 0*	30 0*
Bijnor	20 4	21 2	17 2	31 12	33 3	26 7	10 4	10 6	11 4	11 13	11 13	12 10	24 12	29 4	22 8	21 6	21 6	19 2
Moradabad	20 5	21 4	18 7	31 4	32 8	24 6	10 10	10 10	9 6	13 12	13 12	14 6	23 2	29 6	23 12	14 6	18 2	19 6
Budaun	19 8	20 11	17 11	30 0	31 15	21 14	8 6	8 6	9 9½	14 1½	14 1½	15 9½	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly	18 2	19 6	17 3	26 4	26 14	25 0	7 8	7 8	8 2	13 2	13 2	15 0	23 12	28 12	22 8	18 12	20 0	20 0
Sháhjahánpur	20 8	21 9	18 4	32 0	32 0	23 8	9 12	9 12	9 4	15 12	16 4	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái Pergunnahs	23 0	23 0	20 0	37 8	25 0	30 0	8 12	10 0	7 8	13 12	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muttra	18 0	18 8	17 0	25 8	27 0	21 8	7 0	7 0	...	12 0	13 0	15 0	22 0	24 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	18 0
Agra	16 8	17 8	16 12	23 8	25 0	20 8	5 12	5 12	6 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	24 0	26 0	22 0	21 0	23 0	20 0
Farukhabad	19 6½	19 9	17 12	27 11	27 10	23 1	7 2	7 5	8 3	12 9½	12 8	14 6½	26 7	24 15	23 8½	20 3	21 1	...
Mainpuri	18 10	18 12	17 12	27 8	26 0	21 8	4 8	4 0	5 0	10 8	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etáwah	17 0	18 0	17 0	20 8	21 8	23 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 8	14 0	14 8	24 0	24 0	16 0	22 8	22 8	16 0
Etah	19 4	19 15	20 0	27 0	27 8	22 8	8 0	7 12	8 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	22 0	23 8	...	20 8	22 0	18 0
Jalaun	19 0	20 0	19 0	22 0	22 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	25 0	26 0	28 0	23 0	23 0	24 0
Jhánsi	23 0	23 0	21 4	40 0	35 0	33 5	10 0	10 0	8 8	17 0	17 0	15 0	35 0	35 0	29 3½	...	...	...
Lalitpur	22 0	22 4	22 8	40 0	41 4	34 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	38 0	38 0	32 0	30 0	30 0	27 0
Cawnpore	18 8	19 0	17 12	28 0	29 0	25 8	10 0	10 0	10 8	14 0	14 8	15 0	28 0	30 0	26 0	23 0	25 0	24 8
Fatehpur	17 6	17 8	16 10	26 0	27 0	22 4	11 4	11 4	11 12	15 8	15 8	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda	23 0	25 0	18 0	34 0	35 0	25 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	34 0	36 0	32 0	33 0	...	...
Allahabad	18 2	17 12	17 2	29 8	29 0	25 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	17 8	15 8	17 8	32 0	29 8	30 0	30 8	30 0	28 4
Hamirpur	19 2	20 0	16 0	...	...	22 10	9 0	10 0	13 12	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	25 0	...	20 0	...
Jaunpur	20 8	20 8	19 1	32 12	32 12	28 4	7 12	7 12	8 7	14 2	14 13	16 14	...	...	...	...	...	22 9
Gorakhpur	18 14	18 14	18 13	27 0	27 0	32 6½	12 9½	13 8	14 6½	16 3	16 3	18 13	28 13	32 6½	...	...	...	...
Basti	19 0	19 0	18 8	36 0	27 0	38 0	13 12	15 0	15 0	16 0	17 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	18 7	18 7	19 3	25 13	25 13	28 0	10 5	10 5	8 14	14 12	14 12	17 11	29 8	29 8	41 4	20 10	20 10	...
Mirzapur	17 8	17 8	16 0	27 0½	26 0	25 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	14 8	14 0	18 0	29 0	30 0	30 0	28 0	25 0	28 0
Benares	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gházipur	19 5	20 9½	19 5	27 0	28 5	28 5	9 0	9 0	10 15½	16 1½	16 1½	20 15½	25 12	29 10	33 7½	26 6½	27 0½	25 12
Balia	18 12	19 6	17 0	28 4	28 12	28 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 12	17 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilibhít	21 2	21 6	18 12	36 4	35 4	28 10	15 0	13 12	14 12	16 8	16 4	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lucknow	18 9½	18 12	16 9½	27 14	28 6½	23 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 2½	13 3	14 5	30 8	29 14	24 6½	24 8	24 1	23 10
Unáo	18 8	19 4	19 0	26 0	28 0	26 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	30 0	30 0	...	24 0	24 0	...
Bára Banki	18 8	18 4	18 0	29 0	30 0	25 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	15 0	18 0	17 0	33 0	35 0	28 0	22 0	22 0	20 0
Sitapur	22 4	23 0	18 14	35 0	35 4	25 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	15 12	32 0	33 0	20 0	26 0	27 8	19 0
Hardui	18 12	18 12	20 6	30 0	30 0	27 11	5 10	5 10	5 10	11 0	11 12	13 3	...	23 7	...	16 14	23 0	...
Kheri	24 0	23 12	18 0	36 0	36 0	27 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	45 0	50 0	25 0	...	...	...
Fyzabad	18 0	18 0	16 12	29 0	30 0	23 8	10 0	10 0	11 8	17 0	17 0	17 8	36 0	36 0	30 0	...	...	...
Bharaich	19 0	20 0	17 0	42 0	42 0	38 0	10 0	11 0	9 0	17 0	17 8	18 0	38 0	38 0	33 0	20 0	24 0	18 0
Gonda	22 9½	21 8	22 1	42 0	42 0	39 0	14 4	13 8	15 4	16 2	15 0	19 4	41 12†	43 0†	42 8†	23 12	26 0	25 0
Rai Bareli	19 4	19 8	18 0	27 8	27 12	22 8	...	...	...	15 6	16 0	15 12	...	...	24 0	20 0	26 0	...
Sultanpur	21 8	22 0	20 8	32 0	32 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	17 0	17 0	19 0	...	...	...	20 0	...	20
Partabgarh	20 11	21 5	19 14	32 9	33 12	28 7	15 10	16 0	16 5	17 5	17 7	16 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi	19 12	20 8	18 0	29 0	30 0	23 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	27 0	30 0	24 0	20 0	21 8	19
Gurgaon	21 0	21 0	19 0	31 0	30 0	24 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	25 0	26 0	22 0	23 0	23 0	20
Karnal	21 0	21 0	19 0	34 0	32 0	30 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	28 0	30 0	28 0	22 0	23 0	16
Hissar (*a*)	20 0	20 0	18 0	34 0	30 0	29 0	...	...	...	10 0	12 0	10 0	34 0	33 0	28 0	27 0	28 0	26
Rohtak (*b*)	21 0	21 0	17 8	30 0	30 0	25 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	27 0	28 0	25 0	24 0	25 0	21
Sirsa (*c*)	24 8	24 0	21 8	45 8	44 8	40 14	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	44 0	45 0	39 6	33 0	32 0	31
Umbala	24 8	24 0	21 12	38 0	37 0	30 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	32 0	36 0	32 0	28 0	28 0	23
Ludhiana	26 0	26 8	24 8	41 0	43 0	34 0	...	...	...	11 8	13 0	12 0	41 0	43 0	38 0	25 0	28 0	30
Simla (*d*)	...	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jullundur (*e*)	25 0	25 0	25 8	40 0	44 0	40 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	44 0	45 0	32 0	28 0	28 0	24
Hoshiárpur	25 8	26 0	25 0	40 0	45 0	35 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	11 0	36 0	36 0	29 0	25 0	25 0	19
Kangra	23 0	23 0	24 0	36 0	36 0	40 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Seer Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavaru, Veragu, Cawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murhwa, Nugloo), *Panicum Miliaceum, &c.*			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.											
									Wholesale.			Retail.								
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.						Districts.
Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a.	R a.	R a.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.						
...	...	...	11 6	8 6	16 0	108 0	108 0	108 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	11 12	11 12	11 12						Sylhet
...	...	...	10 10	9 2	12 13	80 0	80 0	80 0	3 8	3 8	3 7	10 10	10 10	9 2						Cachar
...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 6	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 6	3 6	3 8	12 0	11 0	10 2						Goálpárá
...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 6	5 6	5 6	6 6	6 6	6 6						Gáro Hills
...	...	...	11 12	11 12	13 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 8	3 8	3 4	11 8	11 8	11 0						Kámrúp
...	...	...	10 0	10 6	8 9	160 0	160 0	160 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	8 0						Darrang
...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	5 0	5 0	4 12	8 0	8 0	8 0						Nowgong
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	8 8						Sibságar
...	...	...	10 0	11 0	12 0	200 0	200 0	120 0	4 4	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0						Lakhimpur
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0						Khási & Jaintiá Hills
...	...	...	2 0	2 0	2 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0						Nága Hills
									S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.									
...	...	...	24 0	26 0	21 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	11 0	11 0						Dehra Dún
...	...	...	27 15	29 0½	24 1	150 0	150 0	150 8	12 14½	12 14½	12 6	12 9	12 11	12 1						Saháranpur
...	...	...	27 8	28 11	23 10	110 0	110 0	132 0	12 6	12 8	11 8	11 10	11 10	11 4						Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	26 8	27 0	21 12	110 0	110 0	110 0	12 8	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 8						Meerut
...	...	...	25 0	25 0	21 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	...	...	...						Bulandshahr
...	...	...	25 0	25 8	21 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 8	13 0	12 8	12 0	12 8	12 0						Aligarh
...	...	...	12 8	13 8	12 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 0						Kumaun
...	...	...	10 0	9 0	9 0	280 0	280 0	200 0	8 8	8 8	7 8	7 13	8 0	7 0						Garhwál
...	...	...	22 8	25 5	19 10	135 0	135 0	135 0	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	11 14						Bijnor
...	...	...	23 12	23 12	21 4	125 0	125 0	162 8	12 10	12 10	12 7	12 8	12 8	12 3						Moradabad
...	...	...	23 6	24 0	19 8	192 0	192 0	192 0	11 6	11 1½	10 8	11 1½	10 12½	10 0						Budaun
...	...	...	22 8	23 2	20 0	125 0	125 0	125 0	12 8	12 8	11 14	11 14	12 3	11 4						Bareilly
...	...	...	24 4	25 0	20 12	160 0	160 0	200 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	11 0	11 8	12 0						Sháhjahánpur
...	...	...	22 0	22 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	130 0	15 0	13 8	11 4	14 0	12 8	11 0						Tarái Pergunnahs
...	...	...	25 0	27 8	21 4	140 0	140 0	120 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	11 0						Muttra
...	...	...	24 0	25 0	21 4	100 0	100 0	100 0	13 8	13 8	12 8	13 0	13 0	12 0						Agra
...	...	...	24 15	24 12	21 6	156 8	150 0	156 8	12 4	12 4	11 14½	11 6	11 9	10 14						Farukhabad
...	...	...	23 0	21 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 8						Mainpuri
...	...	...	24 0	26 0	22 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 0						Etawah
...	...	...	23 8	24 4	19 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	12 2	12 4	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0						Etah
...	...	...	32 0	33 0	27 0	110 0	140 0	140 0	11 0	12 0	...	11 0	11 0	10 0						Jalaun
...	...	...	31 6	31 14	28 3½	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	12 8	13 0	10 0	11 8	12 0						Jhánsí
...	...	...	33 8	33 8	32 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	11 0	11 8						Lalitpur
...	...	...	29 0	29 8	24 8	145 0	150 0	150 0	13 4	13 4	12 12	13 0	13 0	12 8						Cawnpore
...	...	...	28 4	28 12	22 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	9 10	10 12	10 12	9 6						Fatehpur
...	...	...	37 0	40 0	29 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	10 12	11 0	11 4						Banda
...	...	...	29 4	29 8	24 12	130 0	120 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 6						Allahabad
...	...	...	28 0	32 0	26 0	140 0	140 0	110 0	11 13	12 2	10 0	10 0	11 0	9 12						Hamirpur
...	...	...	31 1	28 15	25 6	148 12	148 12	169 8	10 12	10 12	9 11	10 10	10 10	9 9						Jaunpur
...	...	...	28 13	29 11½	29 10	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	...	10 13	10 13	9 9½						Gorakhpur
...	...	...	30 0	27 0	28 0	150 0	150 0	140 0	8 8	9 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0						Basti
...	...	...	25 13	25 13	24 6	147 8	147 8	147 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	8 14	10 8	8 8						Azamgarh
...	...	...	27 0	26 0	22 0	90 0	100 0	90 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	8 0						Mirzapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received								Benares
...	...	...	28 15½	29 10	28 15½	128 12	128 12	103 0	10 15½	10 15½	10 5	10 5	10 5	9 10½						Gházipur
...	...	...	28 12	30 0	28 12	100 0	100 0	100 0	11 4	11 4	10 0	11 4	11 4	10 4						Balia
...	...	...	23 4	23 12	18 8	150 0	150 0	150 0	13 8	13 0	12 12	12 8	12 0	11 12						Pilibhít
...	...	...	24 11½	24 13½	20 9½	115 0	115 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	9 8						Lucknow
...	...	...	27 0	28 0	23 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	11 0						Unáo
...	...	...	25 0	25 0	22 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	9 8						Bára Banki
...	...	...	27 8	28 0	19 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 4	12 0	12 0	11 4	11 0	11 8						Sitapur
...	...	...	21 9	21 9	22 8	200 0	200 0	240 0	9 6	9 6	8 8	7 8	7 8	8 7						Hardui
...	...	...	28 0	28 0	18 8	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 0						Kheri
...	...	...	28 0	28 14	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	10 0						Fyzabad
...	...	...	28 0	28 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	200 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	9 0						Bharaich
...	...	...	33 6	33 4	28 14	200 0	200 0	240 0	11 10	12 0	...	11 6	11 8	11 4						Gonda
...	...	...	25 4	25 0	19 4	200 0	200 0	160 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 0	9 0						Rai Bareli
...	...	...	31 0	31 0	27 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 4	12 4	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 12						Sultánpur
...	...	...	27 8	28 0	24 3	200 0	200 0	200 0	...	11 0	11 0	10 11	10 11	10 10						Partabgarh
...	...	...	24 8	25 8	22 0	80 0	80 0	90 0	13 0	12 8	12 8	12 0	11 8	12 0						Delhi
...	...	...	26 4	26 4	22 0	140 0	130 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0						Gurgaon
...	...	...	29 8	29 0	24 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	11 8	11 4	11 14	11 0	11 0	11 8						Karnál
...	...	...	32 0	32 0	26 8	80 0	80 0	80 0	12 8	12 0	11 8	12 0	11 0	11 0						Hissar (*b*)
...	...	...	27 0	27 0	24 8	100 0	100 0	100 0	12 12	12 12	11 0	12 4	12 8	11 4						Rohtak (*c*)
...	...	...	42 8	41 8	37 6	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	11 12	12 8	12 8	11 8						Sirsa (*a*)
...	...	...	33 0	33 0	26 4	140 0	140 0	130 0	14 4	14 4	13 8	14 0	14 0	13 4						Umballa
...	...	...	37 0	38 0	29 12	100 0	100 0	100 0	14 14	14 14	14 14	14 8	14 8	14 8						Ludhiana
...	...	...	21 8	20 0	...	80 0	80 0	80 0	11 0	10 10	10 8	10 7	10 0	9 13						Simla (*d*)
...	...	...	35 0	35 0	28 8	110 0	110 0	100 0	14 0	14 8	14 8	13 8	14 4	14 0						Jullundur (*e*)
...	...	...	35 0	35 8	27 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	13 12	13 12	13 8						Hoshiarpur
...	...	...	23 0	25 0	23 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	11 8	11 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 0						Kángra

Provinces: Assam.

(*d*) Prices steady. (*e*) Wheat and barley falling; jowar rising.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum.*			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata.*		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
mritsar (*a*)	25 0	24 8	25 8	39 0	39 0	39 0	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	12 8	39 0	41 0	28 4	25 8	25 8	24 8
álkot	26 8	26 8	25 12	40 0	42 0	37 8	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	36 8	39 0	26 0	37 0	39 0	24 0
rdáspur	30 0	32 0	30 0	38 0	40 0	40 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	35 0	35 0	28 0	14 0	14 0	14 0
ahore	23 0	23 0	23 0	38 0	38 0	33 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	40 0	48 0	28 0	28 0	28 0	22 0
erozepore	23 0	22 0	23 0	50 0	45 0	35 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	11 0	45 0	50 0	36 0	36 0	36 0	36 0
ujránwála	24 0	24 4	23 8	15 0	45 0	38 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	12 0	36 0	36 0	30 0	35 0	35 0	20 0
áwalpindi	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
elum																		
ajrát (*b*)	28 8	28 8	26 8	42 8	46 8	38 8	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	50 0	50 0	21 0	50 0	50 0	28 0
ahpúr	32 0	31 0	20 0	53 0	53 0	31 8	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	44 0	42 0	20 0	48 0	48 0	20 0
oltan (*c*)	16 12	16 4	17 8	29 0	29 0	23 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	30 0	30 0	24 0	27 0	27 0	24 0
ang (*d*)	23 0	22 0	18 8	34 0	32 0	28 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	35 0	32 0	14 0	32 0	32 0	16 0
ontgomery	20 0	19 0	19 8	32 0	32 0	24 0	...	...	...	6 0	5 8	5 8	30 0	30 0	...	...	...	...
uzaffargarh	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
era Ismail Khan																		
era Ghazi Khán																		
ultan																		
eshawar	24 10	24 4	18 0	41 8	41 0	35 12	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	9 8	38 0	35 6	26 8	33 0	31 0	13 6
ohát (*a*)	22 10	21 10	15 15	44 10	47 2	31 14	...	...	...	15 15	15 5	11 8	42 0	43 6	22 5	40 13	43 6	19 2
ázára	...	...	...	...	50 0	34 0	...	...	...	18 0	...	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ígpur	No return received				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...
andára																		
ánda																		
ardha																		
ilughát																		
abbulpore																		
ugor																		
nioh																		
oni																		
andla																		
túl																		
hindwara																		
eshangabad																		
rsinghpur																		
már																		
ipur																		
mbalpur																		
áspur																		
Arakan Division.																		
yub	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
rthern Arakan	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	8 0	6 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
oukpyoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
udoway	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu Division.																		
ngoon Town	11 2	15 0	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	...	12 3	12 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
arrawaddy	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	35 11	...	7 14	18 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ome	12 2	12 2	18 3	...	...	...	12 3	12 3	13 7	14 7	13 12	17 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Irrawaddy Division.																		
nzada	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 15	11 15	17 14	15 10	15 10	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
asein	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 11	10 14	19 14	13 13	13 6	20 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
onegwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	...	12 9	12 3	...	18 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
ayetmyo	10 1	13 6	15 1	...	...	...	10 3	11 11	11 11	12 7	13 13	13 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tenasserim Division.																		
ulmein Town & Amherst	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
yoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 6	12 6	13 12	17 15	17 15	22 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
rgui	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 4	21 12	17 5	21 12	16 4	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
ngoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	...	18 5	14 3	...	21 5	...	...	...	..	...	...
waygyin	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 13	9 1	15 9	11 5	12 0	17 9	..	...	...	...	...	...
ween	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
underabad	15 8	16 5	15 2	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 13	10 3	10 3	9 13	23 14	24 14	23 0	27 0	27 0	...
arum	18 1	18 15	17 8	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	7 1	9 5	9 9	8 12	28 5	28 5	26 11	...	...	...
adderghat	14 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 0	9 8	9 12	8 0	24 0	26 0	24 0	33 0	23 0	33 0
ráoti	16 0	16 0	16 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	25 0	26 0	27 0	15 0	16 0	24 0
ola	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	28 0	28 0	30 0	21 0	21 0	23 0
lchpur	15 0	15 0	14 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	22 0	24 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	20 0
ldana	18 0	17 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	24 0	22 0	32 0	20 0	21 0	38 0
n	16 0	18 8	14 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	7 0	13 0	13 8	10 8	31 4	34 0	30 0	...	...	...
im	21 0	21 0	21 0	...	...	...	6 0	5 4	5 4	14 0	13 8	13 0	27 0	28 0	30 0	...	...	...

FOR THE 1st HALF OF JUNE 1883—*continued.*

RS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Millets, Ragi, Cavaru, Veragu, Cheena, Coraloo, ra, Nuggeel, *Panicum miliaceum*, &c.			Grain.			Firewood.			Salt.						Districts.	Provinces.
									Wholesale.			Retail.				
Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		
h. S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		
			39 4	39 4	32 12	80 0	80 0	80 0	15 6	15 6	15 4	14 14	14 14	14 14	Amritsar (*a*)	Punjab—*continued.*
...	...		34 0	34 0	27 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	15 8	15 8	15 0	Siálkot	
...	...		36 0	36 0	33 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 8	13 4	13 0	13 0	12 8	Gurdáspur	
...	...		38 0	38 0	29 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	Lahore	
...	...		42 0	43 0	31 6	90 0	100 0	90 0	13 12	13 12	13 4	13 8	13 8	13 0	Ferozepore	
...	...		38 8	38 8	28 0	95 0	95 0	95 0	15 0	15 4	15 4	14 12	15 0	15 0	Gujránwála	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received				Ráwalpindi, Jhelum	
...	...		35 8	35 12	25 8	100 0	100 0	100 0	*	*	*	16 0	16 0	15 0	Gujrát (*b*)	
...	...		49 0	47 0	24 8	320 0	320 0	320 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	Shahpúr	
...	...		28 0	29 0	22 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	15 0	14 12	13 12	14 8	14 8	13 8	Mooltan (*c*)	
...	...		30 8	32 0	23 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	14 12	14 10	14 8	14 8	14 4	14 0	Jhang (*d*)	
...	...		24 0	32 8	24 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	13 0	13 0	11 8	12 0	12 0	10 8	Montgomery	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received				Muzaffargarh, Dera Ismail Khan, Dera Ghazi Khan, Bannu	
			30 4	25 10	18 4	86 0	86 0	91 0	54 10	54 10	55 4	52 0	52 0	53 0	Pesháwar	
...	...		28 11	28 11	18 8	114 12	114 12	76 8	91 12	91 12	91 0	51 0	63 12	80 0	Kohát (*a*)	
...	...		...	...	18 12	140 0	140 0	110 0	*	*	*	12 0	12 0	12 0	Házára	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received				Nágpur, Bhandára, Chánda, Wardha, Bálaghát, Jubbulpore, Saugor, Damoh, Seoni, Mandla, Betúl, Chhindwára, Hoshangabad, Narsinghpur, Nimár, Raipur, Sambalpur, Biláspur	Central Provinces.
															Arakan Division.	British Burma.
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	8 0	Northern Arakan	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Kyoukpyoo	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sandoway	
															Pegu Division.	
...	...		20 4	19 7	...	320 0	320 0	...	50 11	50 11	...	22 10	22 10	...	Rangoon Town	
...	...		17 13 3/7	14 9 13/35	...	535 11 3/7	535 11 3/7	...	...	...	...	32 7 3/7	35 11 3/7	...	Tharrawaddy	
...	...		12 7	15 9	20 12	139 11	139 11	139 11	25 5	25 5	32 4	16 9	16 9	18 10	Prome	
															Irrawaddy Division.	
...	...		...	...	...	183 8	183 8	183 8	29 9	29 9	32 4	29 9	29 9	29 9	Henzada	
...	...		11 9	11 9	11 11	237 0	265 7	169 11	26 0	28 9	31 0	19 8	21 4	25 4	Bassein	
...	...		18 6	...	22 7	123 0	...	246 0	39 6	...	39 6	35 7	...	35 7	Thonegwa	
...	...		15 13	18 7	14 6	245 0	245 0	245 0	25 5	25 5	25 6	18 15	18 15	18 15	Thayetmyo	
															Tenasserim Division.	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein Town & Amherst	
...	...		...	...	...	399 3	399 3	399 3	24 2	24 2	24 2	16 1	16 1	16 1	Tavoy	
...	...		...	...	...	428 0	428 0	428 0	24 5	25 5	36 8	14 7 1/2	14 7 1/2	29 3	Mergui	
...	...		12 9	...	12 9	24 0	...	24 0	29 6	...	27 1	18 12	...	18 12	Toungoo	
...	...		...	...	...	250 0	250 0	250 0	32 3	29 8	32 3	18 14	18 14	18 14	Shwaygyin	
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salween	
9	29 9	...	16 12	17 12	17 4	130 0	130 0	130 0	10 14	10 11	10 11	10 6	10 3	10 3	Secunderabad	Hyderabad As.
...	...	...	19 15	20 4	20 4	116 14	116 14	116 14	...	...	...	10 12	10 15	10 9	Bolarum	
...	...	...	17 8	19 0	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	9 8	Chudderghat	
...	...	...	18 0	17 0	20 0	64 0	64 0	70 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	Amraoti	
0	8 0	7 0	18 0	19 0	22 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Akola	
...	...	...	17 0	16 0	16 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Ellichpur	
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	35 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	Buldána	
...	...	...	19 0	18 4	20 0	300 0	300 0	100 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	8 0	Wun	
...	...	...	21 0	22 8	26 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	10 12	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	Básim	

QUANTITIES PER RUP

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum.*			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch
ngalore	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
lar																		
mkúr . . .																		
sore																		
ssan																		
moga																		
dur																		
taldroog . . .																		
rg	8 15	9 6	8 9	10 1	10 4	9 2	14 5	14 1	10 10	17 14	18 0	13 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
pore	16 8	16 8	16 4	23 0	22 8	21 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	24 0	25 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	19
hengurh . . .	15 12	16 0	15 12	23 8	23 8	22 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	11 0	10 8	24 0	25 8	23 8	18 4	18 4	20
rowlee . . .	18 6	19 6	17 0	26 13	26 14	20 0	12 8	12 8	13 8	13 12	13 12	15 0	26 13	26 14	20 0	23 0	23 0	17
ur	19 7	20 5	17 6	26 11	27 14	21 11	8 10	8 10	8 0	10 10	10 10	11 11	24 12	25 0	21 13	23 8	21 8	16
rtpore (City) . .	19 8	20 14	17 8	29 12	30 9	22 8	8 0	7 13	6 8	9 13	11 0	11 0	27 8	28 4	23 8	21 8	25 8	19
ere	15 0	15 0	15 8	21 12	22 0	21 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	21 0	18 0	14 0	17 0	16
li Cantonment . .	19 2	18 6	16 5	25 4	25 3	20 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 8	23 4	24 12	21 7	18 0	18 2	17
pura	16 6	16 6	17 3	27 6	27 6	29 14	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	20 0	20 0	25 0	20 0	20 0	22
hee	14 0	14 0	17 0	25 0	26 0	28 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	21
. . . .	12 0	12 4	15 2	18 12	19 8	22 12	6 10	6 14	6 8	8 10	8 4	8 0	...	...	...	14 8	15 2	18
dra	13 4	13 10	17 4	21 12	22 8	26 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	9 4	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 12	21
y Tracts of Meywar .	20 0	19 8	19 0	26 0	26 0	26 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
war (Oodeypore) .	13 4½	12 14½	14 13½	16 12¾	16 6½	19 8½	10 8¾	10 2½	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
swára (Meywar Agency)	20 0	19 6	21 4	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	17 8	17 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
tábgarh („)	15 2½	14 8½	15 2	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 15	11 4	11 4	13 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
war (Jodhpore) . .	15 5	15 0	15 10	20 0	21 4	21 4	6 4	6 4	6 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	20 0	18 12	21 4	17 13	17 8	18 1
aneer	11 11	11 3	12 0	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	3 2	6 4	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	19 12	19 14	17
ndee	21 4	20 8	17 0	30 0	30 0	25 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 8	11 0	9 8	...	...	26 0	..	...	...
ah	20 0	20 0	17 4	25 0	25 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	8 12	13 0	13 0	11 0	26 0	26 0	21 0	15 0	15 0	16
k	19 0	19 9	14 2	26 0	28 5	20 5	7 0	7 9	7 0	9 12	9 11	10 0	26 0	28 10	21 5	...	...	18 1
lawar	19 13	20 10	15 4	23 10	23 10	15 1	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	8 14	23 7	24 2	16 4	18 6	18 6	13
hpoora . . .	17 2	18 2	17 12	30 0	22 12	21 2	13 15	13 4	10 8	17 0	16 2	14 0	19 0	20 3	19 12	16 4	21 0	18
lpur	17 9	18 8	16 10	25 12	26 4	21 8	10 2	10 2	10 2	11 4	11 4	12 6	23 8	24 10	21 3	22 5	22 0	19
ore	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
lior																		
na																		
helkhand (Sutna) .																		

TMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,

(*Statistical Branch.*)

IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavaru, Veragu, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo Murhwa, Nuglee), *Panicum Miliaceum, &c.*			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.						Districts.
									Wholesale.			Retail.			
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received			Bangalore, Kolar, Túmkúr, Mysore, Hassan, Shimoga, Kadur, Chitaldroog
4 13	25 15	19 13	26 12	28 6	21 14	110 0	110 0	110 0	9 13	10 2	10 8	9 10	10 2	9 8	Coorg
...	...	...	21 4	22 4	18 8	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	14 0	14 4	14 4	13 8	Jeypore
...	...	...	23 8	23 8	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	16 0	16 12	Kishengurh
...	...	...	27 8	26 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	14 3	13 10	...	13 8	13 8	Kerrowlee
...	...	...	27 15	27 10	20 13	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	15 13	15 0	15 0	15 6	Ulwur
...	...	...	27 8	28 0	20 8	...	...	..	13 5	13 6	14 8	13 0	13 0	14 0	Bhurtpore (City)
...	...	...	23 0	22 12	21 8	70 0	60 0	70 0	17 0	17 0	...	15 0	15 0	15 0	Ajmere
...	...	...	25 3	26 0	20 6	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	...	13 8	13 12	13 10	Deoli Cantonment
									R a. p.	R a. p. per md.	R a. p				
...	...	...	20 6	20 6	23 2	160 0	160 0	170 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	3 1 2	13 0	13 0	12 0	Erinpura
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	21 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 5 0	12 5	12 5	11 7	Sirohee
...	...	...	16 0	16 2	18 4	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	Abu
...	...	...	17 4	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	12 4	12 4	11 8	Anadra
...	...	...	23 0	24 0	24 0	*	*	*	3 10 0	3 4 0	...	11 0	12 0	10 0	Hilly Tracts of Meywar
									S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.				
...	...	...	16 6½	16 0½	17 3	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 9	9 15½	9 9	9 6	9 9	9 6	Meywar (Oodeypore)
									R a. p.	R a. p. per md.	R a. p.				
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	31 4	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	10 0	11 14	11 4	Bánswára (Meywar Agency)
...	...	...	20 5	19 11	19 1	...	...	...	2 5 6	...	...	17 0	17 12	10 0	Partábgarh (")
...	...	...	19 6	18 12	20 0	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 10 0	2 9 0	15 5	15 0	15 0	Marwar (Jodhpore)
									S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.				
...	...	...	17 8	17 8	16 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8	Bikaneer
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	25 12	160 0	160 0	140 0	12 8	13 0	12 0	12 4	12 8	11 12	Boondee
...	...	...	28 0	28 0	24 12	240 0	240 0	240 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	13 8	12 8	11 8	Kotah
...	...	...	26 8	28 10	19 10	160 0	160 0	160 0	13 4	14 12	13 4	13 0	14 7	13 0	Tonk
...	...	...	25 13½	26 2	18 9½	...	...	...	10 8	10 2	9 15½	10 4	9 14	9 11½	Jhallawar
...	...	...	23 0	23 1	19 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	13 14	14 1	13 8	13 6	13 13	13 4	Shahpoora
...	...	...	25 9	26 8	21 1	...	...	...	12 15	13 8	12 15	12 2	12 10	12 8	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received			Indore, Gwalior, Goona, Baghelkhand (Sutna)

* Eight pies per bundle.

D. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PLEMENT TO THE STATEMENT OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 2nd HALF OF MAY 1883, PUBLISHED IN PAGES 1228 AND 1229 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 23rd JUNE 1883.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

District.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice. Best sort.			Rice. Common.			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum.*			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata.*			Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavarn, Veragoo, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murhwa, Nuglee, &c.), *Panicum Miliaceum, Eleusine Coracana, &c.*			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt. Wholesale.			Salt. Retail.		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.
	S. C	S. C	S. C	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C	S. C	S. C	S. C.	S. C.	S. C	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C	S. C.	S. C.	S. C	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	R a.p. per	R a.p. maund.	R a.p.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
swára (Meywar Agency).	19 6	18 12	25 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	7 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	30 0	35 0	...	...	...	3 6 6	...	...	11 14	12 8	11 14

MENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
(Statistical Branch.)

D. BARBOUR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION BRANCH.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS IN BENGAL FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1882-83.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to the end of March 1883.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land under irrigation during month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation last year at same time.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED. Five years. All crops.	Five years. Khurreef.	Annual leases. Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugar-cane.	Bhadoi.	Hot weather.	Total.	Grand Total.	Rainfall, 1882-83. During month.	Rainfall, 1882-83. Up to end of month.	Rainfall, 1881-82. During month.	Rainfall, 1881-82. Up to end of month.	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara	1,269	261·12	65·61	247	874	...	53,688	...	48	71	...	...	119	53,807	1·15	86·32	0·00	59·29	
		Gobri	372·82	160·74	64·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..					
		Pattamoondee	1,042	24·00	24·00	...	...	...	12,068	...	2	...	...	...	2	12,070					
		High Level, Section I	675	224·30	...	16	...	...	14,213	...	28	8	...	1	37	14,250					
		Taldunda, 1st Reach	1,300	146·00	15·00	262	150	...	11,008	...	23	...	...	...	23	11,031					
		Ditto, 2nd do.	650	15·00																	
		Matchgong	650	23·00	23·00	15	...	...	31,466	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,466					
	Balasore	High Level, Section II	727·16	...	...	24	16	...	1,380	...	...	240	...	...	240	1,620					
		Ditto do. III	727·16	176·07	...	96	32	...													
		Total	...	...	...	660	1,072	...	123,823	...	101	319	...	1	421	124,244	...	...	...	...	
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	...	123,823	...	89	268	...	...	357	124,180	...	...	...	...	
South-Western.	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	62	...	...	...	...	87,232	...	...	...	...	...	...	87,232	1·92	66·04	0·00	70·32	
	Howrah	Panchkoorah	522	15	...	...	...	...	12,857	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,857	2·37	51·59	0·00	78·43	
		Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	100,089	...	...	...	...	...	...	100,089	...	...	...	...	
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	...	103,862	...	...	...	...	...	...	103,862	...	...	...	...	
Sone.	Shahabad	Western Main	4,342	1,162	344	1,578	970	3,302	...	3,269	1,356	1,217	11	...	5,853	9,155	0·65	28·57	0·00	40·33	
		Buxar	1,226	303	249	5,683	3,878	10,019	...	15,088	5,548	3,267*	45	...	23,888	33,907					
		Arrah	1,660	660	546	26,629	20,271	51,852	...	20,748*	5,324	2,864	35	...	28,971	80,823	0·25	36·95	0·00	46·03	
	Patna and Gya	Eastern Main	1,466	196	159	560	166	214	...	276	6	35	...	...	317	531	Nil	36·62	0·00	42·14	
		Patna				29,360	23,157	10,918	...	9,777	1,245	834	...	1,343	13,199	24,117					
		Total	...	...	...	63,810	48,442	76,305	...	49,158	13,479	8,157	91	1,343	72,228	148,533	...	...	...	...	
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	42,810	...	36,930	19,070	13,848	..	...	70,748	113,558	...	...	...	...	
	Grand Total		...	...	...	...	...	76,305	223,912	49,158	13,580	8,476	91	1,344	72,649	372,866	...	...	...	...	
	Grand total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	42,810	227,685	36,930	20,059	14,116	...	...	71,105	341,600	...	...	...	...	

* There were errors in the areas returned by the Executive Engineer, Arrah Division, for the two crops (khurreef and sugar-cane) which have now been corrected.

The 19th June 1883.

G. F. E. S. NEILL, *Major, M.S.C.,*
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Department.

D

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF IN THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES, 1883, UP TO 31st MAY 1883.

Canal Division.	Water distributed during May 1883. Depth in Canal at regulating gauge in feet. Full supply.	Actual average throughout.	Gross consumption, cubic feet per second. Allotted discharge.	Actual average throughout.	Total area of irrigation during current fasl.	Total area for the corresponding period of last year.
Upper Ganges. Northern	10·00	9·67	950	381	24,622	30,605
Upper Ganges. Anúpshahr	7·00	6·47	1,100	993	36,925	48,031
Upper Ganges. Meerut	8·10	7·85	925	1,386	43,423	51.368
Upper Ganges. Bulandshahr	7·20	7·66	925	1,037	46,896	46.240
Upper Ganges. Aligarh	5·50	5·33	1,300	1,188	53,665	61,186
Lower Ganges. Narora	9·00	7·76	975	444	10,614	11.649
Lower Ganges. Mainpuri	7·00	5·95	600	514	20.231	28,335
Lower Ganges. Cawnpore	8·20	5·19	825	591	40.384	44,111
Lower Ganges. Etáwah	5·80	4·04	975	1,243	46,282	55.191
Lower Ganges. Bhognipur	7·00	6·13	950	875	20,492	19,868
Total, Upper and Lower Ganges Canals	...	...	9,525	8,652	343,534	396,584
Eastern Jumna Canal	4·74	4·44	1,300	1,176	47.520	50.342
Agra Canal	8·50	7·2	1,300	819	16,672	25,856
Rohilkhand	...	...	...	178	6,251	11,287
Bijnor	...	...	...	100	571	718
Dún	...	...	...	...	1,776	2,030
Jhánsi	...	...	...	...	13	23
Hamírpur	...	...	...	...	54	27
Total	...	...	...	...	416,391	486,867

Zila.	Land irrigated (approximate). Sugarcane.	Indigo.	Rice.	Cotton.	Other food-grains.	Fodder crops.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Rain-fall. Total from 1st April, to end of May, 1883.	Average of ten previous years for the same period.
Saháranpur	15.046	1,546	446	40	12	112	983	18,185	1·40	1·30
Muzaffarnagar	38.853	3,748	946	49	16	234	2,001	45.847	2·0	1·53
Meerut	61.028	15,127	418	645	88	284	1.743	79.333	·42	1·13
Bulandshahr	5.322	48,085	4	536	259	9	600	54.815	2·30	·67
Aligarh	572	39,008	51	1	168	...	379	40,179	1·40	·31
Muttra	1,071	6,343	...	628	11	...	303	8,356	1·10	·53
Agra	1.044	2,333	1	60	1	3	247	3,689	·40	·87
Etah	1,252	20,519	20	2	214	3	822	22.833	1·20	·44
Mainpuri	2,521	26,854	5	31	161	76	875	30,522	1·00	·77
Fatehgarh	2,152	12,681	...	...	383	127	65	15,408	·55	·53
Etáwah	4,830	35.238	...	...	181	18	606	40,872	·30	·38
Cawnpore	4,697	35,772	528	...	437	...	875	42,309	...	·60
Delhi	...	15	...	...	...	...	25	40	·9	·88
Gurgaon	995	3,136	10	996	32	1	168	5,338	·3	·83
Dehra Dún	768	...	724	...	...	...	284	1,776	·60	2·91
Bijnor	571	...	...	...	...	...	...	571	·60	1·27
Tarái	1,176	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,176	1·10	·86
Pilibhit	750	...	...	...	...	...	...	750	1·50	1·09
Bareilly	4,325	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,325	1·40	·91
Jhánsi	11	...	...	1	...	...	1	13	90	·30
Hamírpur	11	...	...	...	...	...	39	54	...	·57
Total	146,995	250,405	3,157	2,989	1.962	867	10,016	416.391	...	..
Total for the same period last year	185,692	271,298	6,011	9,181	3,025	1,812	9.848	486,867	...	...
Increase	...	...	...	...	...	...	168	...	...	...
Decrease	38,697	20,893	2,854	6,192	1,063	945	...	70,476	...	...

Remarks.

		Cubic feet per second.
Supply—		
Entering head of Ganges Canal		6,449
" Lower Ganges Canal		2,977
		9,426
Expended—		
Ganges Canal	4,985	
Lower Ganges Canal	3,667	
	8,652	
Escaped—		
Anupshahr Branch, Ganges Canal	37	
Meerut Division, ditto	10	
Bulandshahr ditto, ditto	13	
Narora ditto, Lower Ganges Canal	58	
Mainpuri ditto, ditto	65	
Cawnpore ditto, ditto	311	
Etawah ditto, ditto	14	
Percolation from Narora Division	242	
" Mainpuri ditto	24	
	774	
		9,426

Executive Engineer, Northern Division, Ganges Canal, reports that demand was slack early in May; nearly all sugar has however been secured that; a smaller area is reported under sugar this year owing to low prices in market; that rain on 25th, 26th and 27th May had made sugar independent of canal water for 10 days; and that rice cultivation is progressing.

Executive Engineer, Anupshahr Branch, Ganges Canal, reports that the decrease in sugarcane is due to low price of gur, and the decrease in indigo is attributable to dearness and scarcity of seed.

Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Ganges Canal, reports that the area in sugarcane has diminished in the lower parts of the division by 25 per cent. and in the upper by 10 per cent.; that the large harvest has caused all agricultural operations to be backward: hence, although there was an unusually large supply of water in the distributaries, the rice crop is only 25 per cent. of last year up to date; that owing to the rainfall varying from 0·5 to 2·9 inches all over the division in the last week of May, accompanied by hail and storms, the irrigation demand was slackened and in many places cotton fields were ploughed without the aid of canal water; and that the cotton crop has not yet practically taken water. The worm "kansna" has attacked the sugarcane and some fields have been ploughed up.

Executive Engineer, Bulandshahr Division, Ganges Canal, reports that the demand during May was great and with difficulty met owing to the growth of sarwal and jungle in the distributaries; that on the 27th and 28th rain fell all over the division, but was unequally distributed; that cotton sowing began about the 20th and with this rain is now in full swing, and that the falling off of sugarcane is due to low price of gur.

Executive Engineer, Aligarh Division, Ganges Canal, reports that as compared with the estimate for May 1882, there is a decrease of 1,844 acres under sugarcane and 4,918 acres under indigo. The first is due to the glutted state of the sugar market and the second to the high price of indigo seed; and that cultivators did not begin the preparation of land for cotton and food crop till the end of month.

Executive Engineer, Narora Division, Lower Ganges Canal, reports that the irrigation recovered considerably from the effects of a late rabi this month, but rain which fell to an average total of 1·5 inches on several days between the 22nd and 28th unsettled the demand.

Executive Engineer, Mainpuri Division, Lower Ganges Canal, reports that there was a strong demand for water up to the 20th, after which date weather became cloudy with some rain and consequently the demand slackened; that the falling off of irrigation during the month, as compared with the irrigation in the same month of the previous year, which is due to the low supply in April, has not yet been made good, and that there is little doubt but that there will be a considerable falling off of the total areas as compared with last year.

Executive Engineer, Cawnpore Division, Lower Ganges Canal, reports that the decrease of 3,727 acres as compared with last year's irrigation, is due to the loss on the Taria distributary as noted in April's return, and also due in a measure to excess returns submitted by zilladar last year.

Executive Engineer, Etawah Division, Lower Ganges Canal, reports that the decrease of 6,909 acres, as compared with last year's irrigation, is chiefly indigo. The price of the indigo seed is said to be more than double what it was last year, and the harvesting of the rabi was late this year, which facts probably account for the falling off.

Executive Engineer, Bhognipur Division, Lower Ganges Canal, reports that there was a heavy demand throughout the month on all distributaries except the tail series where indigo cultivation is yet scarcely established.

Executive Engineer, Eastern Jumna Canal, reports that sugarcane is 4,400 acres short of last year, some will be made up but not all; that the deficiency is equally distributed and seems due to recent low prices of sugar and gur, &c., and that the water-supply was ample and the demand steady.

Executive Engineer, Agra Canal, reports that the season is very late, and that demand was very slack up to 20th May, from which date supply began to fail.

Executive Engineer, Rohilkhand Canals, reports that there was great demand for water, and that this is the first month in which water has been taken freely for sugarcane, which crop appears very backward this year; and although last month's area is nearly doubled, the total area watered is not much more than half of what was reported last year.

ALLAHABAD,
The 21st June 1883.

W. P. V. HÖRST,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh,
P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

AGRA CANAL.

Nature of Traffic.	Principal items of Traffic. Up. Mds.	Up. No.	Down. Mds.	Down. No.	Total up and down. Mds.	Total up and down. No.
rains—						
Wheat	...	...	2,000	...	2,000	...
Gram	...	...	450	...	450	...
Rice	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paddy or dhán	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bejhar or mixed grain	...	...	100	...	100	...
ál—						
Urd	...	...	...	...	...	...
Múng	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arhar	...	...	...	...	...	...
Masúri	...	...	...	...	...	...
nár	...	...	...	...	...	...
ájra	...	...	...	...	...	...
laize or Indian-corn	...	...	...	...	...	...
arley	...	...	700	...	700	...
Total	...	...	3,250	...	3,250	...
otton	...	...	...	...	...	...
il-seeds	...	...	150	...	150	...
alt	...	...	...	...	...	...
letals	...	...	...	...	...	...
uilding materials	27,725	...	...	...	27,725	...
liscellaneous goods	...	...	4,460	...	4,460	...
irewood	...	...	...	...	...	...
amboos	...	...	...	...	...	...
imber—						
Poles and unsquared timber	...	...	...	...	...	...
Karis and squared timber	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logs	...	...	...	...	...	...
liscellaneous timber	...	...	...	...	...	...
Live-stock	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total	27,725	...	7,860	...	35,585	...
Total during corresponding period of last year	12,390	...	2,000	...	15,290	...
Increase	15,335	...	4,960	...	20,295	...
Decrease	...	...	...	...	...	...

Remarks.

Particulars.	Agra Canal. 1883.	Agra Canal. 1882.
Tonnage, including weight of timber and bamboos	1,307	562
Ton mileage	150,525	63,826
Value of goods R	39,106	20,830
Number of passengers	*Nil.*	*Nil.*

Fair traffic up after the closure, but things were very slack by the end of the month: rates offered for boating stone up would hardly cover haulage expenses.

Allahabad,
The 21st May 1883.

W. P. V. HÖRST,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh,
P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

	[illegible] CANAL.												CANALS.						UPPER AND LOWER GANGES CANALS.						REMARKS.
	PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF LOCAL TRAFFIC.						PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF LOCAL TRAFFIC.						PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF THROUGH TRAFFIC.						PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF LOCAL AND THROUGH TRAFFIC.						
	Up.		Down.		Total up and down.		Up.		Down.		Total up and down.		Up.		Down.		Total up and down.		Up.		Down.		Total up and down.		
GRAINS.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	
Wheat	...	...	6,471	...	6,471	...	...	...	4,890	...	4,890	...	...	...	11,057	...	11,057	...	...	...	22,418	...	22,418	...	
Gram	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,032	...	...	...	2,032	...	2,015	...	...	...	2,015	...	4,047	...	...	...	4,047	...	
Rice	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	50	...	
Paddy or dhán	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	...	150	...	
Bajhar or mixed grain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Dál ... Urd	...	...	897	...	897	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	897	...	897	...	
Dál ... Múng	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	...	...	...	131	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	...	...	...	131	...	
Dál ... Arhar	150	...	...	...	150	...	10	...	...	...	10	...	712	...	...	...	712	...	872	...	...	...	872	...	
Dál ... Masúri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Juár	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bájra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Maize or Indian-corn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
TOTAL	150	...	7,368	...	7,518	...	2,223	...	5,040	...	7,263	...	2,727	...	11,057	...	13,784	...	5,100	...	23,465	...	28,565	...	
Cotton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	603	...	603	...	...	...	981	...	981	...	...	...	1,584	...	1,584	...	
Oil-seeds	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	...	9,796	...	9,854	...	875	...	1,445	...	2,320	...	933	...	11,241	...	12,174	...	
Salt	487	...	...	...	487	...	808	...	1,352	...	2,160	...	...	...	27,598	...	27,598	...	1,295	...	28,950	...	30,245	...	
Metals	273	...	200	...	473	...	800	...	250	...	1,050	...	2,411	...	806	...	3,217	...	3,484	...	1,256	...	4,740	...	
Building materials	36,925	...	25,219	...	62,144	...	22,642	...	5,950	...	28,592	...	...	...	1,396	...	1,396	...	59,567	...	32,565	...	92,132	...	
Miscellaneous goods	260	...	300	...	560	...	14	...	3,918	...	3,932	...	4,681	...	6,982	...	11,663	...	4,955	...	11,200	...	16,155	...	
Firewood	595	...	16,483	...	17,078	...	12,698	...	13,200	...	25,898	...	6,041	...	...	...	641	...	19,334	...	29,683	...	49,017	...	
Bamboos	...	...	93,698	1,873,960	93,698	1,873,960	460	9,200	4,996	99,920	5,456	109,120	41	820	...	...	41	820	501	10,020	98,694	1,973,880	99,195	1,983,900	
Timber: Poles and unsquared timber.	...	...	12,200	12,200	12,200	12,200	300	300	...	...	300	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	300	12,200	12,200	12,500	12,500	
Timber: Karis and squared timber.	50	50	28,624	31,060	28,674	31,110	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	9	...	...	9	9	59	59	28,624	31,060	28,683	31,119	
Timber: Logs	750	38	...	...	750	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	750	38	...	...	750	38	
Miscellaneous timber	200	400	101	202	301	602	200	400	960	1,920	1,160	2,320	8	16	...	...	8	16	408	816	1,061	2,122	1,469	2,938	
Live-stock	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL	39,690	488	184,193	1,917,422	223,883	1,917,910	40,203	9,900	46,065	118,040	86,268	111,740	16,793	845	50,265	...	67,058	845	96,686	11,233	280,523	2,019,262	377,209	2,030,495	
TOTAL DURING CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	39,307	...	193,287	2,405,136	232,594	2,405,136	25,378	...	13,667	131,886	39,045	131,886	24,206	871	19,117	...	43,323	871	88,891	871	226,071	2,537,022	314,962	2,537,893	
INCREASE	383	488	...	...	...	...	14,825	9,900	32,398	...	47,223	...	7,413	...	31,148	...	23,735	...	7,795	10,362	54,452	...	62,247	...	
DECREASE	...	...	9,094	487,714	8,711	497,226	...	...	...	30,046	...	20,146	...	26	...	...	...	26	...	...	...	517,760	...	507,398	

Particulars.	Upper Ganges Canal (local).		Lower Ganges Canal (local).		Upper and Lower Ganges Canals (through).		Total, Upper and Lower Ganges Canals.	
	1882.	1883.	1882.	1883.	1882.	1883.	1882.	1883.
Tonnage, including weight of timber and bamboos	8,544	8,224	1,434	3,169	1,591	2,464	11,569	13,857
Ton mileage	348,523	348.708	166,562	199.060	377,067	563,540	892,152	1,111,308
Value of goods R	1,30,948	1,65,156	3,03,601	3,74,253	1,36,576	2,05,425	5,76,124	7,44,834
Number of passengers	49	179	...	...	5	10	54	189

ERRATA.

In column "Total up and down Traffic" in statement *for* Upper and Lower Ganges Canal *for* April, 1883, opposite Grand Total *for* "213,123" maunds, *read* "313,123" maunds; and in the same column *for* decrease "9,496" maunds, *read* increase "90,504" maunds.

In the Upper and Lower Ganges Canal Traffic Statement *for* June, 1882, against "Ton mileage" in column showing "Through" Traffic 1882, *for* "2,226,289" read "808,861," and similarly in the statement *for* August, 1882, *for* "37,362" *read* "29,962."

ALLAHABAD,
the 21st June 1883.

W. P. V. HÖRST,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.-W. P. & Oudh, P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XIV of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 15th April 1882. Total.	Receipts for week ending 15th April 1882. Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 14th April 1883. Total.	Receipts for week ending 14th April 1883. Per mile open.	Total Receipts from 1st to 15th April 1882. Total.	Total Receipts from 1st to 15th April 1882. Per mile open per week.	Total Receipts from 1st to 14th April 1883. Total.	Total Receipts from 1st to 14th April 1883. Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	To Decr in 18
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
16th June 1883	Eastern Bengal	172	75,242	437	207	97,363	470	1,59,380	433	2,12,816	514	53,436	
9th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhund	547	1,10,826	203	547	1,62,096	296	2,40,506	205	2,76,067	252	35,561	
16th ditto	Sind, Punjab & Delhi	676	2,09,455	310	725	2,49,980	345	4,88,400	337	5,23,701	361	35,301	
9th ditto	Madras	858	1,28,127	149	861	1,25,298	146	2,91,543	159	2,69,790	157	...	21
9th ditto	South Indian	655	70,864	108	655	72,392	111	1,51,111	108	1,44,844	111	...	6
16th ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	10,38,525	718	1,458	10,02,573	688	21,25,646	685	19,99,096	686	...	1,26
9th ditto	Bombay, Baroda and Central India	461	2,76,081	599	461	2,98,651	648	5,67,741	575	5,74,641	623	6,900	
	TOTAL	4,816	19,09,120	396	4,914	20,08,353	409	40,24,327	390	40,00,955	407	...	23
	State.												
16th June 1883	East Indian	1,507	8,76,066	581	1,507	10,39,126	690	19,20,380	595	20,42,862	678	1,22,482	
9th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern	28	2,842	101	43	5,255	122	5,988	99	11,089	129	5,101	
16th ditto	Nalhati	27	1,307	48	27	1,531	57	2,883	50	3,339	62	456	
2nd ditto	Northern Bengal	233	35,784	154	230	39,874	173	80,620	163	87,984	191	7,364	
16th ditto	Tirhoot	85	12,903	152	157	16,670	106	28,461	156	35,303	112	6,842	
12th May 1883	Patna-Gya	57	12,146	213	57	14,426	253	28,110	230	29,086	255	946	
9th June 1883	Muttra-Hathras	29	2,972	102	29	2,490	86	5,773	93	5,699	98	...	
16th ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	6,064	70	87	6,026	69	13,842	74	10,969	63	...	2
16th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	943	79	12	1,143	95	2,105	82	2,408	100	303	
16th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa	1,117	2,41,686	216	1,116	2,70,069	242	5,15,724	216	5,28,928	237	13,204	
16th ditto	Wardha Coal	45	13,144	292	45	19,879	442	27,912	289	35,947	399	8,035	
16th ditto	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh	98	19,197	196	149	47,857	321	40,645	193	95,248	320	54,603	
16th ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	161	48,982	304	161	37,769	235	1,03,959	301	77,955	242	...	26,
16th ditto	Sindia	75	6,154	82	75	7,738	103	14,813	92	14,564	97	...	
9th ditto	Punjab Northern	368	68,926	187	422	63,464	150	1,62,877	206	1,40,927	167	...	21,
16th ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar	660	78,194	118	660	1,32,378	201	1,66,647	118	2,68,256	203	1,01,609	
16th ditto	Muttra-Achnera	23	1,337	58	23	2,485	108	2,497	50	4,901	107	2,404	
9th ditto	Kaunia-Dhurla	32	2,269	71	32	1,960	61	4,674	68	4,141	65	...	
16th ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore	...	...	...	89	1,727	19	...	...	3,983	22	3,983	
	TOTAL	3,137	5,54,850	177	3,414	6,72,741	197	12,07,560	180	13,60,727	199	1,53,167	
	Native States.												
16th June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal	194	29,992	155	193	29,341	152	61,517	148	59,474	154	...	2,
9th ditto	Nizam's	121	19,483	161	121	14,700	121	35,483	136	28,436	118	...	7
2nd ditto	Mysore	86	5,708	66	86	4,376	51	11,774	64	11,137	65	...	
16th ditto	Jodhpore	...	...	...	19	628	33	...	...	1,550	41	1,550	
	TOTAL	401	55,183	138	419	49,045	117	1,08,774	127	1,00,597	120	...	8
	GRAND TOTAL	9,861	33,95,219	344	10,254	37,69,265	367	72,61,041	344	75,05,141	366	2,44,100	
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	33,40,079	158	36,02,468	176	...	
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	39,20,962	186	39,02,673	190	...	18,

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R.E.*,
Offg. Under-Secretary.

SIMLA,
the 2nd July 1883.

No. XV OF 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

t return ived	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 22nd April 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 21st April 1883. Total.	Per mile open	Total receipts from 1st to 22nd April 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total receipts from 1st to 21st April 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
une 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	70,371	409	207	93,912	454	2,29,751	425	3,06,728	494	76,977	...
ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund.	547	1,23,299	225	547	1,65,184	302	3,63,804	211	4,41,251	269	77,447	...
ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,99,427	295	741	2,42,790	328	6,87,827	324	7,66,491	350	78,664	...
ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,34,439	157	861	1,26,350	147	4,25,982	158	3,96,140	153	...	29,842
ditto .	South Indian . .	655	70,631	108	655	90,002	137	2,21,742	108	2,34,846	119	13,104	...
ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	9,96,754	689	1,458	10,50,062	720	31,22,400	6[illegible]6	30,49,157	697	...	73,243
ditto .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . .	461	2,75,157	597	461	3,17,457	689	8,42,898	582	8,92,098	645	49,200	...
	TOTAL .	4,816	18,70,078	388	4,930	20,85,757	423	58,94,404	389	60,86,711	412	1,92,307	...
	State.												
une 1883	East Indian. . .	1,507	9,23,200	613	1,507	10,35,434	687	28,43,581	601	30,78,297	681	2,34,716	...
ditto .	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	28	2,713	97	43	5,729	133	8,702	99	16,818	130	8,116	...
ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,319	49	27	1,896	70	4,202	50	5,235	65	1,033	...
ditto .	Northern Bengal. .	233	36,128	155	230	37,181	162	1,16,748	160	1,25,165	181	8,417	...
ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	15,356	181	157	18,202	116	43,817	164	53,505	114	9,688	...
lay 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	10,884	191	57	12,252	215	39,024	218	41,338	242	2,314	...
une 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	3,117	107	29	3,114	108	8,889	97	8,843	102	...	46
ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	6,518	75	87	6,706	77	20,360	74	17,674	68	...	2,686
ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur.	12	938	78	12	1,267	106	3,012	81	3,675	102	633	...
ditto .	Rajputana-Malwa .	1,117	2,36,956	212	1,116	2,70,341	242	7,52,680	214	7,99,269	239	46,589	...
ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	12,610	281	45	18,536	412	40,552	287	54,483	403	13,931	...
ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh . . .	98	23,043	235	149	49,687	333	63,688	207	1,44,935	324	81,247	...
ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	42,310	263	161	37,696	234	1,46,269	289	1,15,651	239	...	30,618
ditto .	Sindia. . . .	75	6,655	89	75	6,702	89	21,468	91	21,266	95	...	202
ditto .	Punjab Northern. .	368	67,153	182	422	66,414	157	2,30,029	199	2,07,341	164	...	22,688
ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . .	660	78,364	119	660	1,44,409	219	2,45,011	118	4,12,665	208	1,67,654	...
ditto .	Muttra-Achnera . .	23	1,387	60	23	1,868	81	3,884	53	6,769	98	2,885	...
ditto .	Kaunia-Dhurla . .	32	1,993	62	32	1,893	59	6,667	66	6,033	63	...	634
ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	1,632	18	...	...	5,615	21	5,615	...
	TOTAL .	3,137	5,47,474	174	3,414	6,85,555	201	17,55,032	178	20,46,280	200	2,91,248	...
	Native States.												
June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	191	34,233	176	193	36,162	187	95,750	157	95,636	165	...	114
ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	18,056	149	121	14,414	119	53,539	141	42,851	118	...	10,688
ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	4,977	58	86	4,977	58	16,751	62	16,114	62	...	637
ditto .	Jodhpore . . .	...	...	...	19	698	36	...	...	2,248	39	2,248	...
	TOTAL .	401	57,266	143	419	56,251	134	1,66,040	131	1,56,849	125	...	9,191
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,861	33,98,018	345	10,270	38,62,997	376	1,06,59,057	344	1,13,68,137	369	7,09,080	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES .	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,03,166	158	54,56,706	177	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS .	...	...	..	...	...	...	57,55,891	186	59,11,431	192	1,55,540	...

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

SIMLA,
he 2nd July 1883.

No. XVI of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 29th April 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 28th April 1883. Total.	Per mile open	Total Receipts from 1st to 29th April 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Receipts from 1st to 28th April 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
8th June 1883	Eastern Bengal.	172	79,529	462	207	89,884	434	3,09,280	431	3,96,612	479	87,332	...
9th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhund.	547	1,16,279	213	517	1,49,223	273	4,80,083	212	5,90,474	270	1,10,391	...
8th ditto	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,61,431	239	741	2,26,786	306	8,49,258	302	9,93,277	339	1,44,019	...
9th ditto	Madras	858	1,36,122	159	861	1,31,968	153	5,62,104	158	5,28,108	153	...	33,996
9th ditto	South Indian	655	95,424	146	655	77,585	118	3,17,166	117	3,12,429	119	...	4,737
8th ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	10,03,186	693	1,458	10,51,026	721	41,25,586	688	41,00,183	703	...	25,403
9th ditto	Bombay, Baroda and Central India	461	2,91,732	633	461	3,39,239	736	11,34,630	594	12,31,338	668	96,708	...
	Total	4,816	18,83,703	391	4,930	20,65,711	419	77,78,107	390	81,52,421	414	3,74,314	...
	State.												
8th June 1883	East Indian	1,507	9,34,552	620	1,507	10,69,828	710	37,78,133	605	14,48,125	688	3,69,992	...
9th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern	28	6,224	222	43	6,583	153	14,925	129	23,401	136	8,476	...
8th ditto	Nalhati	27	1,299	49	27	1,651	61	5,501	49	6,886	64	1,385	...
2nd ditto	Northern Bengal	233	40,325	173	230	50,460	219	1,57,074	162	1,75,625	191	18,551	...
8th ditto	Tirhoot	85	13,757	162	157	17,050	109	57,574	164	70,555	112	12,981	...
2th May 1883	Patna-Gya	57	9,144	160	57	9,813	172	48,168	204	51,151	224	2,983	...
2h June 1883	Muttra-Hathras	29	2,989	103	29	2,864	99	11,878	99	11,707	101	...	171
8th ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	7,779	89	87	7,017	81	28,138	78	24,727	71	...	3,416
8th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	1,238	103	12	1,232	103	4,281	86	4,907	102	626	...
8th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa	1,117	2,26,526	203	1,116	2,91,073	261	9,79,206	211	10,90,342	244	1,11,136	...
8th ditto	Wardha Coal	45	14,774	328	45	29,781	662	55,327	297	84,264	468	28,937	...
8th ditto	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	98	21,972	224	149	52,427	352	85,660	211	1,97,362	331	1,11,702	...
8th ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	161	37,358	232	161	40,856	254	1,83,627	275	1,56,507	243	...	27,120
8th ditto	Sindia	75	6,873	92	75	6,019	80	28,341	91	27,284	91	...	1,057
8th ditto	Punjab Northern	368	56,358	153	422	60,002	141	2,86,387	188	2,67,343	158	...	19,044
8th ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar	660	95,853	145	660	1,60,914	244	3,40,864	125	5,73,609	217	2,32,745	...
6th ditto	Muttra-Achnera	23	1,190	52	23	1,461	64	5,074	53	8,230	89	3,156	...
9th ditto	Kaunia-Dhurla	32	2,767	87	32	2,064	64	9,434	71	8,097	63	...	1,337
6th ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore	...	...	...	89	3,631	41	...	...	9,246	26	9,246	...
	Total	3,137	5,46,126	174	3,414	7,44,958	218	23,01,459	177	27,91,238	204	4,89,779	...
	Native States.												
6th June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal	194	31,987	165	193	31,018	161	1,27,737	159	1,26,654	164	...	1,083
9th ditto	Nizam's	121	17,910	148	121	16,609	137	71,479	143	59,459	123	...	12,020
2nd ditto	Mysore	86	5,279	61	86	4,608	54	22,030	62	20,722	60	...	1,308
6th ditto	Jodhpur	...	...	...	19	609	32	...	...	2,857	38	2,857	...
	Total	401	55,206	137	419	52,844	126	2,21,246	133	2,09,692	125	...	11,554
	GRAND TOTAL	9,861	34,19,887	347	10,270	39,33,341	383	1,40,78,945	344	1,53,01,176	373	12,22,531	...
	Gross estimated Expenses	...	...	...	...	...	...	64,76,315	158	73,44,708	179	...	...
	Net Receipts	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,02,630	186	79,56,768	194	3,54,138	...

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R.E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

Simla,
The 2nd July 1883.

No. XVII of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 6th May 1882. Total.	Receipts for week ending 6th May 1882. Per mile open	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 5th May 1883. Total.	Receipts for week ending 5th May 1883. Per mile open.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 6th May 1882. Total.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 6th May 1882. Per mile open per week.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 5th May 1883. Total.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 5th May 1883. Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
ne 1883	Eastern Bengal	172	69,003	401	207	98,790	477	3,78,283	428	4,95,401	479	1,17,118	...
ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhund	547	1,27,855	234	547	1,46,428	268	6,07,938	216	7,36,902	269	1,28,964	...
ditto	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,67,781	248	741	2,22,992	301	10,17,039	293	12,16,269	331	1,99,230	...
ditto	Madras	858	1,45,669	170	861	1,31,030	152	7,07,773	160	6,59,138	153	...	48,635
ditto	South Indian	655	87,285	133	655	79,982	122	4,04,451	120	3,92,411	120	...	12,040
ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	9,28,490	642	1,458	10,61,828	728	50,54,076	679	51,62,011	708	1,07,935	...
ditto	Bombay, Baroda and Central India	461	2,85,206	619	461	3,17,131	688	14,19,836	598	15,48,469	672	1,28,633	...
	TOTAL	4,816	18,11,289	376	4,930	20,58,181	417	95,89,396	387	1,02,10,601	415	6,21,205	...
	State.												
une 1883	East Indian	1,507	8,88,052	589	1,509	10,91,141	723	46,66,184	602	52,39,266	695	5,73,082	...
ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern	28	2,170	88	52	5,415	104	17,395	120	28,816	128	11,421	...
ditto	Nalhati	27	1,619	60	27	1,720	64	7,120	51	8,606	64	1,486	...
ditto	Northern Bengal	233	33,008	142	230	38,290	166	1,90,082	159	2,13,915	186	23,833	...
ditto	Tirhoot	85	13,098	154	166	14,416	87	70,672	162	84,971	107	14,299	...
lay 1883	Patna-Gya	57	10,192	184	57	9,610	169	58,660	200	60,760	213	2,100	...
une 1883	Muttra-Hathras	29	2,542	87	29	2,413	83	14,420	97	14,120	97	...	300
ditto	Cawnpore-Furrukhabad	87	7,230	83	87	7,357	85	35,369	79	32,079	74	...	3,290
ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	1,422	118	12	1,397	116	5,703	92	6,304	105	601	...
ditto	Rajputana-Malwa	1,117	2,23,047	200	1,116	2,92,686	262	12,02,253	209	13,83,027	248	1,80,774	...
ditto	Wardha Coal	45	12,446	277	45	12,126	269	67,773	293	96,390	428	28,617	...
ditto	Nagpore and Chhattisgarh	98	17,087	174	149	47,449	318	1,02,747	204	2,44,811	329	1,42,064	...
ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	161	39,823	247	161	36,732	228	2,23,450	270	1,93,239	240	...	30,211
ditto	Sindia	75	6,853	91	75	6,889	92	35,194	91	34,173	91	...	1,021
ditto	Punjab Northern	404	53,494	132	422	58,877	139	3,39,881	176	3,26,220	155	...	13,661
ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar	660	60,994	92	660	1,17,471	178	4,01,858	118	6,91,080	209	2,89,222	...
ditto	Muttra-Achnera	23	1,228	53	23	1,532	67	6,302	53	9,763	85	3,461	...
ditto	Kaunia-Dharla	32	1,750	55	32	2,259	71	11,184	68	10,356	65	...	828
ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore	...	...	...	89	7,990	90	...	...	17,236	39	17,236	...
	TOTAL	3,173	4,88,603	154	3,432	6,64,629	194	27,90,063	172	34,55,866	202	6,65,803	...
	Native States.												
une 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal	194	29,469	152	193	35,981	186	1,57,206	157	1,62,635	169	5,429	...
ditto	Nizam's	121	17,058	141	121	15,691	130	88,537	142	75,150	124	...	13,387
ditto	Mysore	86	5,290	61	86	4,431	52	27,320	62	25,089	58	...	2,231
ditto	Jodhpur	...	...	...	19	1,010	53	...	...	3,867	41	3,867	...
	TOTAL	401	51,817	129	419	57,113	136	2,73,063	132	2,66,741	127	...	6,322
	GRAND TOTAL	9,897	32,39,761	327	10,290	38,71,064	376	1,73,18,706	341	1,91,72,474	373	18,53,768	...
	ROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	79,66,605	157	92,02,788	179	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	93,52,101	184	99,69,686	194	6,17,585	...

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R.E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

SIMLA,
7th July 1883.

No. XVIII of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 13th May 1882. Total.	Receipts for week ending 13th May 1882. Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 12th May 1883. Total.	Receipts for week ending 12th May 1883. Per mile open.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 13th May 1882. Total.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 13th May 1882. Per mile open per week.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 12th May 1883. Total.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 12th May 1883. Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
23rd June 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	63,840	371	207	86,123	416	4,42,123	419	5,81,524	468	1,39,401	...
16th ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund	547	1,16,042	212	547	1,45,368	266	7,23,980	216	8,82,270	269	1,58,290	...
16th ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,55,580	230	741	1,99,167	269	11,72,619	282	14,15,436	321	2,42,817	...
16th ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,43,154	167	861	1,34,127	156	8,50,927	162	7,93,265	154	...	57,662
16th ditto .	South Indian . .	655	74,496	114	655	72,238	110	4,78,947	119	4,64,649	118	...	14,298
23rd ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	9,13,191	631	1,458	10,74,226	737	59,67,267	671	62,36,237	713	2,68,970	...
16th ditto .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . .	461	3,35,851	729	461	3,07,630	667	17,55,687	620	18,56,099	671	1,00,412	...
	TOTAL .	4,816	18,02,154	374	4,930	20,18,879	409	1,13,91,550	385	1,22,29,480	414	8,37,930	...
	State.												
23rd June 1883	East Indian . .	1,507	8,70,794	578	1,509	11,17,437	740	55,36,979	598	63,56,703	703	8,19,724	...
16th ditto .	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	28	1,973	70	56	5,651	101	19,368	113	34,467	122	15,099	...
16th ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,426	53	27	1,717	64	8,546	52	10,323	64	1,777	...
2nd ditto .	Northern Bengal. .	233	36,090	155	230	37,152	162	2,26,172	157	2,51,067	182	24,895	...
16th ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	15,256	179	166	16,321	98	85,928	164	1,01,292	105	15,364	...
19th May 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	9,189	161	57	9,052	159	67,849	194	69,812	204	1,963	...
16th June 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	2,337	81	29	2,899	100	16,757	94	17,019	98	262	...
16th ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	7,070	81	87	6,766	78	42,439	79	38,845	74	...	3,594
23rd ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	1,371	114	12	1,542	128	7,074	96	7,846	109	772	...
23rd ditto .	Rajputana-Malwa .	1,117	2,20,429	197	1,117	2,61,567	234	14,22,682	207	16,44,594	246	2,21,912	...
23rd ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	13,879	308	45	12,890	286	81,652	295	1,09,280	405	27,628	...
23rd ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh . . .	98	19,550	199	149	44,176	296	1,22,297	203	2,88,987	323	1,66,690	...
16th ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	35,586	221	161	35,980	223	2,59,036	262	2,29,219	237	...	29,817
23rd ditto .	Sindia . . .	75	6,462	86	75	7,506	100	41,656	90	41,679	93	23	...
16th ditto .	Punjab Northern .	412	55,731	135	422	60,091	142	3,95,612	169	3,86,311	153	...	9,301
16th ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . . .	660	82,963	126	660	1,23,652	187	4,84,821	120	8,14,732	206	3,29,911	...
23rd ditto .	Muttra-Achnera . .	23	1,127	49	23	1,334	58	7,429	52	11,097	80	3,668	...
16th ditto .	Kaunia-Dharla . .	32	1,509	47	32	2,291	72	12,693	64	12,647	66	...	46
23rd ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	4,370	49	...	...	21,606	40	21,606	...
	TOTAL .	3,181	5,11,948	161	3,437	6,34,957	185	33,02,011	171	40,90,823	199	7,88,812	...
	Native States.												
16th June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	194	25,614	132	193	33,041	171	1,82,850	153	1,95,676	169	12,826	...
16th ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	18,825	156	121	16,710	138	1,07,362	144	91,860	127	...	15,502
9th ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	3,947	46	86	4,529	53	31,267	59	29,618	57	...	1,648
23rd ditto .	Jodhpur . . .	...	...	...	19	910	48	...	...	4,777	42	4,777	...
	TOTAL .	401	48,416	121	419	55,190	132	3,21,479	130	3,21,931	128	452	...
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,905	32,33,312	326	10,295	38,26,463	372	2,05,52,019	339	2,29,98,937	373	24,46,918	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES .	...	...	...	...	...	...	94,53,929	156	1,10,39,490	179	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,10,98,090	183	1,19,59,447	194	8,61,357	...

SIMLA,
The 7th July 1883.

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R.E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

F

No. XIX of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

atest Return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 20th May 1882. Total.	Receipts for week ending 20th May 1882. Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 19th May 1883. Total.	Receipts for week ending 19th May 1883. Per mile open.	Total receipts from 1st April to 20th May 1882. Total.	Total receipts from 1st April to 20th May 1882. Per mile open per week.	Total receipts from 1st April to 19th May 1883. Total.	Total receipts from 1st April to 19th May 1883. Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
d June 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	62,809	365	207	89,574	433	5,04,932	411	6,71,098	463	1,66,166	...
h ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund .	547	1,21,775	223	547	1,32,977	243	8,45,755	216	10,15,247	265	1,69,492	...
h ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	2,06,474	305	741	2,08,276	281	13,79,094	286	16,23,712	315	2,44,618	...
h ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,26,590	148	861	1,33,648	155	9,77,517	160	9,26,914	154	...	50,603
h ditto .	South Indian . .	655	67,633	103	655	79,465	121	5,46,580	117	5,44,114	118	...	2,466
d ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	9,29,488	644	1,458	10,30,685	707	68,96,755	667	72,66,922	712	3,70,167	...
h ditto .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . .	461	2,90,090	629	461	3,32,224	721	20,45,777	621	21,88,323	678	1,42,546	...
	Total .	4,816	18,04,859	375	4,930	20,06,849	407	1,31,96,410	384	1,42,36,330	412	10,39,920	...
	State.												
d June 1883	East Indian . .	1,507	8,74,758	580	1,509	10,93,796	725	64,11,737	596	74,50,499	706	10,38,762	...
h ditto .	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	28	2,223	79	56	5,217	93	21,591	118	39,684	118	18,093	...
h ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,276	47	27	1,637	61	9,822	51	11,960	63	2,138	...
d ditto .	Northern Bengal .	233	31,340	134	230	35,562	155	2,57,512	155	2,86,629	178	29,117	...
h ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	15,553	183	166	18,690	113	1,01,481	167	1,19,982	106	18,501	...
h May 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	9,487	166	57	8,608	151	77,336	190	78,420	197	1,084	...
h June 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	2,378	82	29	3,312	114	19,135	92	20,331	100	1,196	...
h ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	5,983	69	87	6,776	78	48,422	78	45,621	75	...	2,801
d ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur .	12	1,570	131	12	1,510	126	8,644	101	9,356	111	712	...
d ditto .	Rajputana-Malwa .	1,117	2,21,790	199	1,117	3,09,056	277	16,44,472	206	19,53,650	250	3,09,178	...
d ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	13,052	290	45	11,846	263	94,704	295	1,21,126	384	26,422	...
l ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	98	18,039	184	149	50,052	336	1,40,336	200	3,39,039	325	1,98,703	...
l ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	28,558	177	161	30,643	190	2,87,594	250	2,59,862	231	...	27,732
l ditto .	Sindia	75	6,771	90	75	5,913	79	48,427	90	47,592	91	...	835
h ditto .	Punjab Northern .	412	58,732	143	422	57,173	135	4,54,344	165	4,43,484	150	...	10,860
l ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . . .	660	65,541	99	660	1,18,271	179	5,50,362	117	9,33,003	202	3,82,641	...
l ditto .	Muttra-Achnera . .	23	1,318	57	23	1,350	59	8,747	53	12,447	77	3,700	...
l ditto .	Kaunia-Dhurla . .	32	1,182	37	32	2,234	70	13,875	61	14,881	66	1,006	...
l ditto .	Rewari Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	8,440	95	...	...	30,046	48	30,046	...
	Total .	3,181	4,84,793	152	3,437	6,76,290	197	37,86,804	168	47,67,113	199	9,80,309	...
	Native States.												
June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	194	25,639	132	193	34,022	176	2,08,489	150	2,29,698	170	21,209	...
ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	15,012	124	121	15,798	131	1,22,374	141	1,07,658	127	...	14,716
ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	4,188	49	86	5,426	63	35,455	57	35,044	58	...	411
ditto ,	Jodhpur . . .	...	...	...	19	1,108	58	...	...	5,885	44	5,885	...
	Total .	401	44,839	112	419	56,354	134	3,66,318	127	3,78,285	129	11,967	...
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,905	32,09,249	324	10,295	38,33,289	372	2,37,61,269	337	2,68,32,227	372	30,70,958	...
	Gross Estimated Expenses .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,09,30,184	155	1,28,79,469	179	...	...
	Net Receipts .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,28,31,085	182	1,39,52,758	193	11,21,673	...

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R.E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

Simla,
the 7th July 1883.

No. XX of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 27th May 1882. Total	Per mile open	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 26th May 1883. Total.	Per mile open.	Total receipts from 1st April to 27th May 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total receipts from 1st April to 26th May 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
23rd June 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	68,820	400	207	87,767	424	5,73,752	410	7,58,865	458	1,85,113	...
16th ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund	547	1,31,578	241	547	1,26,414	231	9,77,333	219	11,41,661	261	1,64,328	...
16th ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	2,07,967	308	741	2,37,383	320	15,87,061	288	18,61,095	316	2,74,034	...
16th ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,23,023	143	861	1,33,275	155	11,00,540	158	10,60,189	154	...	40,351
16th ditto .	South Indian . .	655	81,731	125	655	85,911	131	6,28,311	118	6,30,025	120	1,714	...
23rd ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,447	9,80,702	679	1,458	10,35,248	710	78,77,457	669	83,02,171	712	4,24,714	...
16th ditto .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . .	461	2,99,987	651	461	3,41,604	741	23,45,765	625	25,29,927	686	1,84,162	...
	Total .	4,816	18,93,808	393	4,930	20,47,602	415	1,50,90,219	385	1,62,83,933	4.3	11,93,714	...
	State.												
23rd June 1883	East Indian . .	1,507	9,36,505	621	1,509	11,06,405	733	73,48,242	599	85,56,904	709	12,08,662	...
16th ditto .	Calcutta and South Eastern . . .	28	7,650	273	56	6,490	116	29,241	128	46,174	118	16,933	...
16th ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,502	56	27	1,584	59	11,324	52	13,544	63	2,220	...
2nd ditto .	Northern Bengal . .	233	39,984	172	230	45,316	197	2,97,495	157	3,31,945	180	34,450	...
16th ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	12,447	146	166	20,733	125	1,13,928	165	1,40,715	109	26,787	...
19th May 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	8,495	149	...	(a)	...	(b) 77,336	190	(c) 78,420	197	1,084	...
16th June 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	2,127	73	29	2,579	89	21,262	90	22,910	99	1,648	...
16th ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	6,695	77	87	6,646	76	55,117	78	52,267	75	...	2,850
23rd ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur .	12	1,167	97	12	1,402	117	9,811	100	10,758	112	947	...
23rd ditto .	Rajputana-Malwa .	1,117	2,46,676	221	1,117	3,11,640	279	18,91,148	208	22,65,290	254	3,74,142	...
23rd ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	21,875	486	45	23,072	513	1,16,579	318	1,44,198	401	27,619	...
23rd ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	98	19,192	196	149	49,721	334	1,59,528	200	3,88,760	326	2,29,232	...
16th ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	26,069	162	161	32,867	204	3,13,663	239	2,92,729	227	...	20,934
23rd ditto .	Sindia	75	5,814	78	75	5,635	75	54,241	89	53,227	89	...	1,014
6th ditto .	Punjab Northern .	412	57,318	139	422	53,577	127	5,11,662	162	4,97,061	147	...	14,601
6th ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . . .	660	1,00,501	152	660	1,55,768	236	6,50,863	121	10,88,771	206	4,37,908	...
3rd ditto .	Muttra-Achnera . .	23	1,385	60	23	1,170	51	10,132	54	13,617	74	3,485	...
6th ditto .	Kaunia-Dhurla . .	32	1,185	37	32	1,960	61	15,060	58	16,841	66	1,781	...
3rd ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	11,130	125	...	...	41,176	58	41,176	...
	Total .	3,181	5,60,082	176	3,380	7,31,290	216	43,38 390	169	54,98,403	201	11,60,013	...
	Native States.												
30th June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	194	27,772	143	193	30,746	159	2,36,261	150	2,60,444	169	24,183	...
3th ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	18,697	155	121	15,872	131	1,41,071	143	1,23,530	128	...	17,541
9th ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	6,290	73	86	5,138	60	41,745	60	40,182	58	...	1,563
3rd ditto .	Jodhpur . . .	...	...	...	19	760	40	...	...	6,645	44	6,645	...
	Total .	401	52,759	132	419	52,516	125	4,19,077	128	4,30,801	129	11,724	...
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,905	34,43,154	348	10,238	39 37,813	385	2,71,95,928	339	3,07,70,041	374	35,74,113	...
	Gross Estimated Expenditure .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,25,10,127	155	1,47,69,620	181	...	...
	Net Receipts .	..	...	...	...	...	...	1,46,85,801	184	1,60,00,421	193	13,14,620	...

(a) Return not received. (b) Total receipt from 1st April to 20th May 1882. (c) Total receipts from 1st April to 19th May 1883.

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

Simla,
The 7th July 1883.

No. XXI of 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest Return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 3rd June 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 2nd June 1883. Total.	Per mile open.	Total receipts from 1st April to 3rd June 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total receipts from 1st April to 2nd June 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
			R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
	Guaranteed.												
1 June 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	70,333	409	207	82,815	400	6,44,085	410	8,41,681	452	1,97,596	...
1 ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkund .	547	1,11,033	203	547	1,23,117	225	10,88,366	218	12,64,778	257	1,76,412	...
1 ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,98,345	293	741	2,72,085	367	17,85,406	289	21,33,180	322	3,47,774	...
1 ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,63,137	190	861	1,24,590	145	12,63,677	161	11,84,779	153	...	78,898
1 ditto .	South Indian . .	655	88,085	134	655	88,840	136	7,16,396	120	7,18,866	122	2,470	...
1 ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,458	8,49,859	583	1,458	8,90,610	611	87,27,316	660	91,92,781	701	4,65,465	...
ditto .	Bombay Baroda and Central India . .	461	2,75,694	598	461	3,09,699	672	26,21,459	622	28,39,626	684	2,18,167	...
	Total .	4,827	17,56,486	364	4,930	18,91,756	384	1,68,46,705	383	1,81,75,691	410	13,28,986	...
	State.												
June 1883	East Indian . .	1,507	8,96,734	595	1,509	10,38,635	688	28,44,976	598	95,95,539	707	13,50,563	...
ditto .	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	28	2,584	92	56	5,720	102	31,827	124	51,894	115	20,067	...
ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,730	64	27	1,478	55	13,055	53	15,022	62	1,967	...
ditto .	Northern Bengal .	233	33,529	144	230	35,050	152	3,31,024	155	3,66,996	177	35,972	...
ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	12,238	144	166	19,584	118	1,26,167	162	1,60,299	110	34,132	...
May 1883	Patna Gya . .	57	8,719	153	...	(a)	...	(b) 77,336	190	(c) 7 8421	197	1,085	...
June 1883	Muttra-Hathras .	29	2,412	83	29	2,357	81	23,674	89	25,267	97	1,593	
ditto .	Cawnpore Furrakhabad	87	6,195	71	87	6,826	78	61,312	77	59,093	75	...	2,219
ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur .	12	1,150	96	12	1,089	91	10,961	100	11,847	110	886	...
ditto .	Rajputana-Malwa .	1,117	2,24,067	201	1,117	2,76,340	247	21,15,215	207	25,41,630	253	4,26,415	...
ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	11,941	265	45	11,243	250	1,28,520	312	1,55,441	384	26,921	...
ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh . . .	98	16,806	171	149	42,818	287	1,76,335	197	4,31,578	322	2,55,243	...
ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	27,291	170	161	33,397	207	3,40,954	232	3,26,127	225	...	14,827
ditto .	Sindia . . .	75	5,883	78	75	5,948	79	60,124	88	59,175	88	...	949
ditto .	Punjab Northern .	412	49,878	121	422	61,097	145	5,61,540	157	5,58,158	147	...	3,382
ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . .	660	92,260	140	660	2,13,968	324	7,43,124	123	13,02,739	219	5,59,615	...
ditto .	Muttra-Achnera .	32	1,269	55	23	1,210	53	11,402	54	14,827	72	3,425	...
ditto .	Kamnia-Dhurla . .	32	1,331	42	32	1,476	46	16,390	56	18,317	64	1,927	...
ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	8,590	97	...	...	49,766	62	49,766	...
	Total .	3,181	4,99,283	157	3,380	7,28,191	215	48,28,960	167	62,26,597	205	13,97,637	...
	Native States.												
ne 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	194	22,660	117	193	27,297	141	2,58,921	146	2,87,741	166	28,820	...
ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	16,077	133	121	14,545	120	1,57,148	142	1,38,075	127	...	19,073
ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	4,987	58	86	5,397	63	46,731	59	45,579	59	...	1,152
ditto .	Jodhpur . . .	...	...	...	19	680	36	...	...	7,325	43	7,325	...
	Total .	401	43,724	109	419	47,919	114	4,62,800	126	4,78,720	127	15,920	...
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,916	31,96,227	322	10,238	37,06,501	362	3,03,83,441	336	3,44,76,547	375	40,93,106	...
	ess Estimated Expenses .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,39,76,383	155	1,65,48,743	180	...	...
	Net Receipts .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,64,07,058	181	1,79,27,804	195	15,20,746	...

(a) Return not received.
(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 20th May 1882.
(c) Total Receipts from 1st April to 19th May 1883.

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

Simla,
the 7th July 1883.

No. XXII OF 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 10th June 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 9th June 1883. Total.	Per mile open	Total receipts from 1st April to 10th June 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total receipts from 1st April to 9th June 1883 Total.	Per mile open per week	Total Increase in 1883-84.	To Decr 188
	Guaranteed.		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
23rd June 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	69,533	405	207	78,042	377	7,13,618	409	9,19,723	444	2,06,105	
16th ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund.	547	1,05,998	194	547	1,30,706	239	11,94,365	215	13,95,484	255	2,01,119	
16th ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,84,099	272	741	2,78,474	376	19,69,505	287	24,11,654	326	4,42,149	
16th ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,36,100	159	861	1,37,845	160	13,99,777	161	13,22,624	153	...	75
16th ditto .	South Indian . .	655	79,128	121	655	77,965	119	7,95,524	120	7,96,831	121	1,307	
23rd ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,458	5,88,722	405	1,458	7,81,284	536	93,16,038	634	99,74,065	684	6,58,027	
16th ditto .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India.	461	1,58,530	344	461	3,06,070	664	27,79,989	594	31,45,696	682	3,65,707	
	TOTAL .	4,827	13,22,110	274	4,930	17,90,386	363	1,81,68,816	372	1,99,66,077	405	17,97,261	
	State.												
23rd June 1883	East Indian . .	1,507	9,27,777	616	1,509	11,04,049	732	91,72,753	600	1,06,99,588	708	15,26,835	
16th ditto .	Calcutta and South Eastern.	33	2,530	77	56	6,000	107	34,357	120	57,895	118	23,538	
16th ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,301	48	27	1,567	57	14,356	52	16,589	61	2,233	
2nd ditto .	Northern Bengal .	233	34,365	147	...	(a)	...	(b)3,31,024	155	(c) 3,66,996	177	35,972	
16th ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	13,725	161	166	19,196	116	1,39,891	162	1,79,495	111	39,604	
19th May 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	7,895	139	...	(a)	...	(d)77,336	190	(e) 78,420	197	1,084	
16th June 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	1,798	62	29	2,205	76	25,471	86	27,472	95	2,001	
16th ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	6,356	73	87	7,527	87	67,669	76	66,620	76	.....	1
23rd ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur.	12	1,159	97	12	1,111	93	12,120	99	12,958	108	838	
23rd ditto .	Rajputana Malwa .	1,117	1,94,357	174	1,117	2,64,670	237	23,09,572	204	28,06,301	251	4,96,729	
23rd ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	12,606	280	45	13,566	301	1,41,126	309	1,69,007	375	27,881	
23rd ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	98	13,787	141	149	37,912	254	1,90,122	191	4,69,490	315	2,79,368	
16th ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley.	161	22,320	139	161	25,863	161	3,63,274	222	3,51,990	218	.....	11
23rd ditto .	Sindia . . .	75	5,410	72	75	5,997	80	65,534	86	65,165	87	.....	
16th ditto .	Punjab Northern. .	412	47,336	115	419	50,500	121	6,08,876	153	6,08,658	144	.....	
16th ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar.	660	81,974	124	660	2,57,438	390	8,25,098	123	15,60,177	236	7,35,079	
23rd ditto .	Muttra Achnera . .	23	1,109	49	23	1,250	55	12,511	53	16,077	69	3,566	
16th ditto .	Kaunia Dhurla .	32	1,091	34	32	1,739	54	17,481	53	20,056	62	2,575	
23rd ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	8,590	97	...	...	58,356	65	58,356	
	TOTAL .	3,186	4,49,119	141	3,147	7,05,131	224	52,35,818	163	69,31,722	221	16,95,904	
	Native States.												
16th June 1883	Bhavnagar Gondal .	194	19,947	103	193	24,335	126	2,78,868	141	3,12,076	162	33,208	
16th ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	14,534	120	121	15,402	128	1,71,682	139	1,53,477	127	...	18
9th ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	4,209	49	86	5,079	59	50,941	58	50,658	59	...	
23rd ditto .	Jodhpur . . .	...	...	...	19	550	29	...	...	7,875	41	7,875	
	TOTAL .	401	38,690	96	419	45,366	108	5,01,491	123	5,24,086	125	22,595	
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,921	27,37,696	276	10,005	36,44,932	364	3,30,78,878	330	3,81,21,473	382	50,42,595	
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,52,16,284	151	1,82,98,308	183	...	
	NET RECEIPTS .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,78,62,594	179	1,98,23,165	199	19,60,571	

(a) Return not received. (b) Total receipts from 1st April to 3rd June 1882. (c) Total receipts from 1st April to 2nd June 1883
(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 20th May 1882. (e) Total receipts from 1st April to 19th May 1883.

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary

SIMLA,
The 7th July 1883.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

No. 29.] SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

CONTENTS.

PART I.—Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, Leave of Absence, General Orders, Rules and Regulations.

PART II.—Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, Administrator General, Paper Currency Dept., Presidency Pay Master, Money Order Department, Mint Master, Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Supdt. of Government Printing, and other Government Officers; Postal, Telegraph, and Commissariat Notices.

PART III.—Advertisements and Notices by private individuals and Corporations.

PART IV.—Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General:—

The Bikráma Singh's Estates Act, 1883.

PART V.—Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22:

The Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.

SUPPLEMENT No. 29.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 18th July 1883.

No. 161.—Mr. R. L. Mangles, V.C., is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, with effect from the 29th March 1883.

No. 166.—Mr. J. Simson, Barrister-at-Law, is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, with effect from the 15th July 1883.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 18th July 1883.

No. 53.—Mr. L. A. S. Porter, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a Degree of Honour in Persian in the 1st Division, has been presented with the authorised donation of Rs. 1,000.

No. 54.—Mr. H. A. D. Phillips, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a Degree of Honour in Bengali in the 1st Division, has been presented with the authorised donation of Rs. 2,000.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 19th July 1883.

No. 157.—The Reverend William Ellison, M.A., a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal (Lahore) Establishment, reported his arrival at Kurrachee on the 7th instant.

FORESTS.

The 19th July 1883.

No. 599 F.—Mr. E. Murray, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests in the Punjab, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade, with effect from the 1st July 1883, until further orders.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 17th July, 1883.

No. 1804 G.—With reference to Foreign Department Notification, No. 1496 G., dated the 28th May, 1883, the recognition of the appointment by the Government of India of Mr. August Thöle as Acting Consul for the German Empire, at Karachi, has been confirmed by Her Majesty's Government.

No. 1807 G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. I. R. Henderson as Vice-Consul for Sweden and Norway, at Moulmein, *vice* Mr. A. Vintzens.

GENERAL.

No. 1810 G.—Lieutenant C. J. B. H. Dressner, Bengal Staff Corps, Squadron Officer and Officiat-

ing Squadron Commander, 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, is appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of Nowgong, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Captain J. B. Lynch, and during the absence on furlough of Major R. G. E. Dalrymple, or until further orders.

MILITARY.

The 18th July, 1883.

No. 1817 *G.*—The following promotions are made in the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, with effect from the 1st May, 1883:—

Ressaidar Burmadin, to be Ressaldar, *vice* Pertab Singh, invalided.

Jemadar Narain Singh, to be Ressaidar, *vice* Burmadin, promoted.

Duffadar Kan Singh, to be Jemadar, *vice* Narain Singh, promoted.

C. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 20th July 1883.

No. 2050.—The Governor General in Council has determined to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees, being the amount required for the public service.

The following Notification is therefore published:—

FOUR PER CENT. LOAN.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees for the public service in the following manner.

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in Form A annexed to this Notification, being the form of the notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865*, of which Loan the notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to notes of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1865* will apply to the notes to be now issued.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Lakhs of Rupees will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Tuesday, the 14th August 1883. Tenders must be in sums of 500 Rupees or multiples of 500 Rupees.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Calcutta, and enclosed in a closed cover, superscribed "*Tender for the Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883.*" If the tenderer is not resident in India, he must name an agent resident in India to whom a letter of allotment may be issued if any part of the loan is allotted to such tenderer.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or one of their Branches, or from an Officer in charge of some public Treasury, or by a cheque drawn in favour of the Comptroller General on a Bank in Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, or by* Government Promissory Notes, standing in the name of or endorsed to the tenderer or the person making the deposit, for not less than one-hundredth, or, if the tender be for less than Five Lakhs of Rupees, then for not less than one-fiftieth part of the tender. If the allotment is not fully taken up, this deposit of one or two per centum will be forfeited; and if one or more Government Promissory Notes have been deposited, such note or notes will be appropriated by the Government and cancelled; otherwise, if the deposit is in cash, it will be either refunded to the tenderer after his tender has been completely paid up, or, on his application, taken in part payment, completing the amount due upon his tender. A cash deposit may, after acceptance of the tender in support of which it is made, be replaced by a Government Promissory note, as aforesaid.

6. The rate at which a tender is made must not contain a fraction of an anna: if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

7. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in rupees or rupees and annas: a tender in which no rate is thus specified, but a subscription is offered in some other terms, as, for example, at the recorded minimum, or at some specified percentage in addition to the recorded minimum, or at the average of the accepted tenders, will be rejected as null and void.

8. The minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and, before the tenders are opened, placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, but will not be declared unless some tender is rejected only because it is below the recorded minimum.

9. Tenders will be opened, publicly, by the Comptroller General at the Currency Office, No. 1, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, at noon on Tuesday, the 14th August 1883; but the contents of the tenders will not be disclosed otherwise than as provided in clause 11.

10. Tenders at the recorded minimum rate, and at rates above the recorded minimum rate, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rate; the amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders: provided that no allotment will be issued if the amount distributable on any tender is less than R350.

11. To each tenderer (or to his agent) whose tender is accepted in whole or in part such number of allotment-certificates as may be necessary to make up the aggregate amount allotted to him, will be issued as soon as possible after the 14th August 1883; and an alphabetical list of the names of those to whom such allotment-certificates are issued will be posted, for general information, at the Head Offices of Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay.

12. If the allotment made on any tender is less than R3,000, then the whole of the allotment-certificates will be made payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883.

Otherwise the whole amount of each allotment will be divided into three instalments, as follows:—

Instalment I—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, August 28th, 1883:

Instalment II—As near as convenient to 35 per cent., but not exceeding 35 per cent., payable upon Tuesday, September 25th, 1883:

Instalment III—The balance, payable upon Saturday, October 20th, 1883: and allotment-certificates will be issued for each instalment separately.

The words "as near as convenient" refer to the necessity for making each instalment an exact multiple of R500.

13. Any allotment-certificate will, on application to the Comptroller General, be exchanged for an equivalent amount of allotment-certificates of smaller denominations, provided that if any payment is recorded upon the cancelled certificate, it can be taken against, and recorded upon, only one of the certificates issued in exchange.

14. Payment of any allotment-certificate may be made to the account of the Government in the Head Office of one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or in any Branch of these Banks, or into any Public Treasury or Treasuries in India which may be named in the tender in respect of which it was issued. Receipts for such payments will be given by the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or their Branches, or by the Officers in charge of the Government Treasuries at which payment is made, by enfacement upon the relative certificate.

15. (*a*) When any allotment-certificate is fully paid up, the holder will, on presenting it duly receipted at the place where it was paid, obtain from the Public Debt Office, Calcutta, Promissory Notes of such values as he may desire (each note being in even hundreds and not less than R500), bearing interest from November 1st, 1883, and he will also receive interest at four per cent. per annum from the dates on which he may have made payment till the last day of October 1883.

(*b*) Or he may, at his option, by paying interest at the said rate from 1st May 1883, to the dates on which he may have made payment, obtain Promissory Notes as above, bearing interest from 1st May 1883.

16. The holder of a paid-up allotment-certificate may also, on special application, obtain, on the same terms and conditions as are mentioned in section 15, clause (*a*), Promissory Notes with coupons attached, or stock certificates (Form B) with coupons attached, and payable to bearer, in accordance with the Loan Notification of this Department, dated 27th June 1881 (*i.e.*, *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1881*, forming part of *The Four Per Cent. Loan of 1st May 1865*). In such cases the first coupon issued will be that which falls due on 1st May 1884.

FORM A OF PROMISSORY NOTE (see Clause 2).

Fort William, the 1st of May 1865.

Promissory Note *Government Rupees* *at four per cent.*
No. *of 1865.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from
the sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred as a loan to the Secretary of State in Council for India, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council, to repay the said loan, by paying the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred to the said
his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, on demand, at the General Treasury, at Fort William, after the expiration of Three Months' Notice of Payment, to be given by the Governor General of India in Council, in the *Government Gazette*, and to pay the interest accruing on the said sum of Government Rupees Five Hundred from the 1st November 1883 (Eighty-three), at the rate of four per cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments, at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said
, his Executors, or Administrators, or his or their Order, until the expiration of Three Months after such notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of interest due will be payable with the principal, and (such notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this note) all further interest shall cease.

FORM B OF COUPONED CERTIFICATE.

India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865.

Redeemable at any time after three months' notice in the "Gazette of India."

Certificate
R 000 No.

This is to certify that the bearer of this certificate is entitled, under the Notification of the Government of India of the 27th June 1881, to Government Rupees
India Four Per Cent. Rupee Loan, 1865, payable Three Months after Notice, which may be published in the *Gazette of India* at any time.

No. , R .

Calcutta, 1st November 1881.

The coupons attached to this Certificate, as well as the principal sum herein named, are payable to bearer at the Government Treasury at Calcutta only.

FORM C OF TENDER (see Clause 4).

I, *A. B.*, hereby tender for Rupees (X) *of The Four Per Cent. Loan, 1883*, advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 13th July 1883, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rupees (Y) annas (Z) for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

I enclose a *deposit receipt*[a] for Rupees (XX), and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Bank of† (or at the† Branch of the Bank of† ; or into the Public Treasury at† , as the case may be)—

[a] Or Cheque or Government Promissory Note.
† Here enter the name of Bank, Branch Bank or Treasury.

The first instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 28th August 1883.

The second instalment, not exceeding 35 per cent., on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

The balance, on or before Saturday, October 20th, 1883.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 18th July, 1883, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT NO. X OF 1883.

An Act to confirm and give effect to an award made by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General regarding certain matters in dispute between Sardár Bikráma Singh and the Kapúrthhala State.

Preamble.

WHEREAS Sardár Bikráma Singh, in recognition of his services, received from the British Government a grant of land in Oudh forming part of the Akúna Estate; and that land was, with his consent, settled in the name of the Rájá of Kapúrthhala;

and whereas the Rájá of Kapúrthhala took possession of that land, and Sardár Bikráma Singh was unable to recover possession thereof by process of law;

and whereas His Highness Rájá Kurruck Singh of Kapúrthhala and Sardár Bikráma Singh agreed that all claims preferred by Sardár Bikráma Singh to and on account of the said land should be referred to Sir Henry Davies, the then Chief Commissioner of Oudh, for decision as arbitrator, and those claims were referred to Sir Henry Davies accordingly;

and whereas Sir Henry Davies, on the sixth day of January, 1871, delivered the following award, hereinafter called the first award (namely):—

"My award is that Rájá Kurruck Singh of Kapúrthhala, his heirs, executors or assigns, shall pay, within six months of the present date, in trust to the Chief Commissioner and to the Financial Commissioner of Oudh for the time being, and to the Commissioner of the Faizabád Division for the time being, jointly, on behalf of Sardár Bikráma Singh and the heirs male of his body (if any), the sum of five lákhs of rupees, to be invested, as early as practicable, by the aforementioned trustees in the purchase of land within the Province of Oudh. Such land, when purchased, shall be immediately delivered into the possession of Sardár Bikráma Singh, and shall be held by him and by the heirs male of his body, if any, in proprietary right. But in the event of Sardár Bikráma Singh dying without heirs male of his body, the proprietary right in all such land shall revert unconditionally to the Rája for the time being of Kapúrthhala.

"If the Rájá of Kapúrthhala, his heirs, executors or assigns, fail to pay to the trustees the sum of five lákhs of rupees within six months from the present date, possession of the fifty five hadbast circles detailed in the list hereto appended shall be given to Sardar Bikráma Singh; and all these hadbast circles shall be held by him as mortgagee until the whole sum of five lákhs of rupees shall have been paid to the trustees.

"Furthermore, the Rájá of Kapúrthhala, his heirs, executors or assigns, shall pay to Sardar Bikráma Singh, within one month from the present date, the sum of fifty thousand rupees in full liquidation of all claims to the mesne profits of past years. On the expiry of one month, such sum, if still unpaid, will bear interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

Addendum to award.

"To obviate doubts, I declare that, firstly, the words 'heirs male' mean only the sons of a woman belonging to the ahl-í-birádirí of Sardár Bikráma Singh; secondly, Sardár Bikráma Singh shall, prior to the birth of an heir male of his body, have no power to mortgage or sell his interest in the estate purchased for him by the trustees without offering it in the first instance to the Rájá of Kapúrthhala for the time being.

"This addendum shall be read as part of my award;"

and whereas doubts arose as to the meaning of that award, and, with the consent of the parties concerned, the matters in dispute were submitted to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India for decision;

and whereas, in accordance with this submission, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General considered those matters, and on the third day of March, 1881, made the following award, hereinafter called the second award (namely):—

"My award is that the estates already purchased and to be purchased shall (the aid of the legislature being invoked if necessary) be so settled that they shall be the property of Bikráma Singh, subject to the following conditions and restrictions:—

"*First.*—No alienations of, or right (other than a right of [illegible] right incidental to such a

tenancy) created over, the estates or any part thereof by Bikráma Singh shall be valid for any period beyond his life.

"*Secondly.*—If Bikráma Singh at his death leaves a male heir of his body surviving him, the succession to the estates shall take place according to the proper law of inheritance; but the estates shall not be chargeable with, or liable to be applied in satisfaction of, any debts incurred by Bikráma Singh, nor shall any person succeeding under this clause be liable, by reason of such succession, for any such debt.

"*Thirdly.*—If Bikráma Singh at his death leaves no male heir of his body surviving him, the estates shall pass to the then Rájá of Kapúrthhala.

"*Fourthly.*—If any lease or other contract fixing rent is granted to, or made with, a tenant by Bikráma Singh for a term, and Bikráma Singh dies before the expiration of such term, or if any such lease or contract is so granted or made in perpetuity, the rent of such tenant shall, notwithstanding anything contained in such lease or contract, be subject on the death of Bikráma Singh to enhancement from time to time on the same grounds, subject to the same conditions and according to the same procedure as if such tenant were a tenant with a right of occupancy; but if the rent is enhanced under this clause, the tenant may at any time thereafter rescind such contract;"

and whereas it is expedient to confirm the second award and give effect to the same;

and whereas, in obedience to the first award, the sum of five lákhs of rupees was paid by the said Rájá Kurruck Singh to the then Chief Commissioner and Financial Commissioner of Oudh and the then Commissioner of the Faizábád Division, and has been by them or by their successors in office invested in the lands specified in the schedule hereto annexed;

and whereas it is expedient to settle the said lands in accordance with the terms of the second award;

and whereas the first award, in so far as it has not already been executed, will be superseded by the second award and this Act, and it is therefore expedient to rescind the first award; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called Bikráma Singh's Estates Act, 1883, and shall come into force at once.

Rescission of first award, and determination of trust created thereby.

2. The first award is hereby rescinded; the trusts created thereunder shall be deemed to have been fully executed and determined; and the trustees thereunder shall be deemed to have been discharged.

Confirmation of second award.

The second award is hereby confirmed.

Lands in schedule to be deemed settled in accordance with second award.

3. The lands specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall vest in Sardár Bikráma Singh, and shall be deemed to be settled as required by the second award.

SCHEDULE.

LANDS VESTED IN SARDÁR BIKRÁMA SINGH.

(*See section 3.*)

District.	Tahsíl.	Pargana.	Hadbast number.	Name of village.
Sitapur	Sitapur	Sitapur	34	Aithalia.
			23	Arhbanian.
			37	Amypur.
			627	Victoria.
			463	Clarknagar.
			25	Alsia.
		Khairabad	75	Barabhari.
			442	Aishbagh.
			558	Mirnagar.
	Misrikh	Maholi	190	Pitampur.
			136	Beadoupur.
			187	Pragpur.
			410	Isanagar.
			208	Tulshipur.
		Misrikh	341	Rahmatpur.
Rae Bareli	Dalmau	Dalmau	29	Bichia Abadi.
		Saraini	56	Baruáhár.
			59	Bandaie.
			57	Bahadurpur.
			208	Dariapur.
			171	Rampur Kalan.
			257	Rewari Pasia Khera.
			314	Saidapur.
			334	Firozpur.
			366	Kanjas.
			365	Kalehgaon with Chak.
			413	Lakhangaon with Chak.
			480	Haibatpur Khurd.
			477	Hilauli.
			476	Hathnasa.
		Khiron	8	Aiendhi.
			452	Malpur.
	Rae Bareli	Rae Bareli	28	Balehpur.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Or, if the amount allotted to me be less than Rs. 3,000, then the whole amount on or before Tuesday, 25th September 1883.

‡ Here insert C. D.'s address, which must be in India. This paragraph should only be inserted if A. B. does not reside in India, or if, residing in India, he wishes the allotment communicated to an agent.

Any allotment made to me may be communicated to *C. D. at* ‡

NOTE (1).—*A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered. The rate tendered should be the whole amount per centum, not the premium or discount; thus, "One hundred and two," or "One hundred," or "Ninety-nine"; not "Two per cent. premium," or "Par," or "One per cent. discount."*

By order of the Governor General of India in Council,

D. M. BARBOUR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTIFICATION BY THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL.

The Comptroller General requests the attention of tenderers to the following arrangements :—

Filling up Tenders.

(1) They are requested to use only the printed forms of tender, which will be available at his Office and at the Currency Office, on application to the Durwan on duty, at all the Provincial Account Offices, and at the Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay: and will also be supplied to the principal Treasuries.

(2) If the deposit is in the form of Promissory Notes or of Currency Notes, their number should be quoted in detail in the tender.

Presentation of Tenders.

(3) For all tenders presented to him in his Office upon the last fixed day, or the two days preceding it, he will give the bearer a receipt bearing a number, and initialled by himself or an assistant specially deputed for the purpose.

Return of deposit in case of non-acceptance.

(4) The reverse of this receipt is a form in which, in the event of the tender not being accepted, the tenderer may give to the Comptroller General a receipt for the deposit accompanying it. This form should, on the third day after the opening of the tenders, be filled up, signed with the same signature as the tender, and be presented at the Office of the Comptroller General. The deposit will then be returned to the bearer, in exchange for the receipt.

(5) Deposit upon tenders presented personally, as described in No. 3 above, will be returned only in this way, and will not be sent by post, or otherwise. Deposits upon other unsuccessful tenders will be returned by post, or by the hands of a clerk.

Accepted Tenders.

(6) It will be observed that instead of the hitherto-used form of allotment letter, the Comptroller General will issue allotment certificates to successful tenderers. These certificates will be for the following amounts R500, R1,000, R2,000, R5,000, R10,000, R20,000, R50,000, R1,00,000, making up the full value accepted; and will be, substantially, of the following form :—

This is to certify that, in accordance with the terms of Notification No. 2050, dated 13th July 1883 (Gazette of India Extraordinary, *dated 13th July 1883*), *the above-named tenderer has engaged to take up Rs. 2,000 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1883, at the rate above mentioned, on or before September 25th, 1883, and that on the said payment being completed, he is entitled, on endorsing and delivering up this certificate, to receive a promissory note or notes or stock certificate of the Government of India for Rs. 2,000, bearing interest from November 1st, 1883.*

CALCUTTA,
13th July 1883.

J. WESTLAND,
Comptroller General.

No. 2167.—Mr. J. F. Finlay, M.A., B.C.S., assumed charge of his appointment as officiating Deputy Accountant General, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, before noon on the 12th July 1883.

No. 2196.—Privilege leave for three months having been granted to Mr. T. H. Biggs, Assistant Comptroller General attached to the Office of the Comptroller of Indian Treasuries, Mr. Biggs availed himself of the leave on the 26th June 1883 after noon.

Babu Prankissen Ghose is appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent in the Financial Department and is attached to the Office of the Comptroller of Indian Treasuries during the absence of Mr. Biggs, or until further orders. Babu Prankissen Ghose received charge of the duties of his appointment after noon on the 26th June 1883.

D. M. BARBOUR,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 20th July, 1883.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 409.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers, appointed by the Secretary of State probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Governments of Madras and Bombay, in view to their appointment to the Staff Corps of those Presidencies respectively, with effect from the date of their arrival in India :—

Madras.

Lieutenant J. Thornhill, Derbyshire Regiment.
Lieutenant A. Y. Ansell, Welsh Regiment.

Bombay.

Lieutenant A. T. F. Edwards, Royal Irish Regiment.

No. 410.—The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Hugh O'Donnell, South Wales Borderers, Wing Officer, 44th Native Infantry,—25th May, 1880.

No. 411.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Major-General N. G. Campbell, R.A., Inspector General of Ordnance, having been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-General, the tenure of his appointment is extended to the 31st December, 1883, subject to the approval of the Secretary of State for India.

No. 412.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

2nd Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant W. W. Norman, Border Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as Squadron Officer, on probation, with effect from the 29th June, 1883.

2nd Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant H. A. Browning, East Lancashire Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 21st June, 1883.

No. 413.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

No. 2 Field Battery.

Lieutenant W. A. Urquhart, Subaltern, No. 1 Field Battery, to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, and during the absence on furlough of Captain C. M. Smith, or until further orders,—26th February, 1883.

No. 3 Field Battery.

Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, Subaltern and Officiating Commandant, No. 2 Field Battery, to be Commandant, *vice* Major E. F. Cambier, who has vacated on promotion,—23rd January, 1883.

Lieutenant E. U. Marrett, Officiating Subaltern, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, promoted,—23rd January, 1883.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 414.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Major W. B. Birch, Bengal S. C., 2nd Assistant Superintendent, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, Port Blair and the Nicobars, (p. a.) for one year and 296 days, under rule IX of the regulations of 1868.

Surgeon D. P. Macdonald, M.D., (p. a.) for one year and 182 days, under rule IX of the regulations of 1868.

No. 415.—Lieutenant S. C. F. Peile, Bengal S. C., Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd class, is granted leave in India (p. a.) for 90 days, with effect from the 14th May, 1883, under rule X of the regulations of 1875, the first 60 days being on full pay.

No. 416.—The undermentioned officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Major J. E. Campbell, Bengal S. C., (m. c.) for three months.

Major E. H. Steel, Bengal S. C., (p. a.) for ten days.

JUDICIAL.

No. 417.—INDIAN ARTICLES OF WAR—

His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of article 166, Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869), to the outposts of Thul-Chotiali, Sharigh and Sibi.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 418.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Bengal Cavalry.

Ressaidar Gholam Mustapha Khan to be Woordie-Major, *vice* Ubdool Ghuffoor Khan, resigned the Woordie-Majorship,—24th November, 1882.

10th Native Infantry.

Jemadar Nowrutton Singh to be Subadar, *vice* Lulleet Singh, invalided; Color-Havildar Ramchurn Tewary to be Jemadar, *vice* Nowrutton Singh, promoted,—11th May, 1883.

11th Native Infantry.

Jemadar Lallbahadoor Doobay to be Subadar, *vice* Noor Mahomed, invalided; Havildar Pitumber Sing to be Jemadar (Supernumerary),—1st May, 1883.

30th Native Infantry.

Jemadar Jehan Khan to be Subadar, *vice* Jye Sing, invalided; Havildar Shere Sing to be Jemadar, *vice* Jehan Khan, promoted,—23rd May, 1883.

G. CHESNEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 14th July 1883.

No. 171.—Messrs. A. S. Wyman and W. E. S. McGregor, Traffic Department, Rajputana and Malwa State Railway, are promoted from the Candidate Class to Class IV of the State Railway Revenue Establishment, with effect from 1st July 1883.

The 16th July 1883.

No. 172.—With reference to paragraph 2 of Notification No. 136, dated 19th May 1883, it has been brought to the notice of the Governor General in Council that the name of Mr. A. M. Rendel, Consulting Engineer to the India Office, who worked out in England the details of the design adopted for the Bridge over the Indus at Attock, has inadvertently been omitted.

With reference to paragraph 10 of the same Notification, the following is a complete list of the Engineers employed on the survey and construction of the Punjab Northern State Railway from the commencement :—

Chief Engineers.

Mr. A. Grant, C.I.E.
,, H. P. Lemesurier.
Mr. H. Leonard.
,, H. Lee Smith.

Superintending Engineers and Superintendents of Works.

Colonel J. Bonus, R.E.
Mr. J. Collet.
,, W. J. Galwey.
,, H. T. Geoghegan.
,, G. J. H. Glinn. *Since deceased.*
Mr. H. Lambert.
,, R. T. Mallet.
,, W. Nethersole.
,, F. L. O'Callaghan, C.I.E.
,, M. Rayne. *Since deceased.*

Executive Engineers.

Mr. F. M. Avern.
Major A. R. Bayley, S.C.
Mr. H. Bell.
Major W. S. S. Bisset, R.E.
Mr. C. A. Bull.
,, J. M. Campion.
Major S. C. Clarke, R.E.
Mr. H. N. C. Cloëte.
,, J. H. Cochrane.
,, J. Conder.
,, F. L. Dibblee.
,, M. S. Dooley.
,, T. J. Dumayne.
Major H. R. Faber, R.E.
Mr. J. L. Gallott.
,, J. Gordon. *Since deceased.*
Major T. Gracey, R.E.
Mr. H. C. Graham.
,, W. F. F. Handcock.
,, W. Harvey.
,, W. C. Hennessy.
,, D. F. Hogarth.
,, W. C. Hosking.
,, W. Hunt.
,, H. Johnson.
Lieut.-Col. K. A. Jopp, R.E.
Mr. W. Kelsey.
,, T. Knight.
,, P. T. S. Large.
,, H. C. D. La Touche.
Major J. A. Little, S.C.
Mr. M. C. Mackinnon.
,, H. B. Melesworth.
,, H. L. Monk.
Captain J. M. Morgan, R.E.
Major H. J. Nuthall, S.C.
Mr. T. T. Ryan.
Major T. B. B. Savi, R.E.
Lieut. B. Scott, R.E.
Major D. A. Scott, R.E.
Mr. C. J. Shaw.
,, F. Stokes.
,, H. F. Storey.
,, T. L. Tanner.
,, G. E. Thomas.
,, F. R. Upcott.
,, J. P. Vansittart.
,, F. B. Walker.
Captain W. H. White, R.E.

Assistant Engineers.

Mr. E. W. Arundell.
,, W. Ashdown.
,, E. Behrmann.
,, A. Bewley.
,, C. H. C. Bickerton.
,, F. E. Braham.
,, A. Brereton.
,, J. Burton. *Since deceased.*
,, M. J. Chabrel.
,, A. T. Chiodetti.
Lieutenant-Colonel M. G. Clerk, Genl. List.
Mr. T. Concannon.
,, T. E. Curry.
,, R. T. Denne.
Baboo Dharm Singh Soin.
Mr. F. Wolley-Dod.
,, R. W. Egerton.
,, E. C. Elliot.
,, J. Ellis.
Lieutenant H. Finnis, R.E.
Mr. W. Foster. *Since deceased.*
,, S. Geoghegan.
,, A. S. Gerrard.
Lieutenant J. Hare, R.E.
Mr. H. S. Harington.
Lieutenant J. H. C. Harrison, R.E.
Mr. A. J. Hasham.
,, J. P. Hogan.
,, G. Humfress.
Lieutenant R. H. Jennings, R.E.
Baboo Labdha Rama Sahni.
Major E. M. Larminie, R.E.
Mr. J. Lloyd.
,, H. Luckstedt.
Lieutenant R. C. Maxwell, R.E.
Mr. H. J. Oddie.
,, C. P. O'Rafferty.
,, B. Parkes.
,, J. W. Parry.
,, L. G. Prickett.
,, F. Reilly.
Hony. Lieut. J. Roberts. *Since deceased.*
Mr. R. W. Roberts.
,, J. Robertson. *Since deceased.*
,, G. P. Rose.
Baboo Russick Lall Roy.
Mr. H. G. S. Savory.
,, T. W. Scott.
,, W. W. Shanks.
,, J. Shedlock.
Baboo Sheo Dyal.
,, Sheopershad.
,, Siva Dutta Pande.
Mr. E. H. Tuck.
,, C. Twidale.
,, J. Willcocks.
,, C. E. S. Younghusband. *Since deceased.*

The 18th July 1883.

No. 173.—Major R. P. Tickell, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer during the absence on privilege leave of Major C. W. I. Harrison, R.E., or until further orders.

W. S. TREVOR, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

RULES FOR THE FILLING UP OF VACANCIES IN THE CLERICAL ESTABLISHMENTS OF THE SECRETARIAT OFFICES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, AND THE DEPARTMENTS DIRECTLY ATTACHED TO THEM, BY COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION.

No. $\frac{26}{954-964}$.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department (Public),—under date Simla, the 19th July 1883.

Read again—

Home Department Resolution Nos. 31—1161-66, dated the 21st July 1880, on the subject of raising the standard of ability among clerks attached to the Secretariats connected with the Government of India.

Read—

Home Department Resolution Nos. 31—1298-1308, dated the 31st August 1882.
Home Department Resolution No. 1847, dated the 24th November 1882.
Home Department Resolution Nos. 10—381-390, dated the 12th March 1883.

OBSERVATIONS.

The Governor General in Council has reconsidered the rules laid down in the Home Department Resolution, Nos. 31—1298-1308, dated the 31st August 1882, for the admission of clerks into the Secretariat Offices attached to the Government of India by a system of competitive examinations, and is pleased to direct the issue and publication of the following revised—

RESOLUTION.

The Governor General in Council has for some time past had under consideration the question of the best mode of filling up vacancies in the clerical establishments of the Secretariat Offices of the Government of India, and securing a reasonably high standard of qualification among the assistants employed.

2. The recognised difficulty in all Government Offices is to obtain men fit for the superior duties, such as those of drafting, précis-writing, preparing statistical returns, and the like. The pay provided for the superior appointments is in itself sufficient to give adequate remuneration for the proper performance of duties of this class; but the complaint is general that the standard of work done is at present often very inferior. It has been too much the rule to promote men from the lower grades as a matter of course; and as no test of qualification is applied either on admission to those lower grades, or on advancement beyond them, promotion has come to depend at least as much on seniority and the absence of misconduct as upon any merit or positive fitness for superior duty.

3. The Governor General in Council has decided that the first step towards reform must be to draw a marked line of distinction between the superior and inferior classes of appointments, and that for this purpose the Secretariat Clerical Service shall for the future be separated into an Upper and a Lower Division,—the former comprising all appointments the pay of which is Rs. 200 and upwards, the latter all appointments (other than those of mere copyists) the pay of which is below that sum. No clerk will be entitled to promotion from the Lower to the Upper Division as a matter of course, or otherwise than in accordance with the rules laid down in this Resolution.

4. As regards the mode of recruiting both Upper and Lower Divisions, the Governor General in Council has come to the conclusion that the only satisfactory principle to follow is that of free and open competition,* modified as regards the Upper Division by conditions favourable to persons at the present time actually

* Except in the case of the appointments of Registrars of Offices, Superintendents of Branches, or Head Assistants, for filling up which an absolute power of selection must remain with the Head of the Office concerned.

serving in the Lower Division. The plan of filling up vacancies in the Government Offices by competitive examination has worked satisfactorily in the Home Civil Service, and in the few instances where it has been tried in this country. It does away at once with many abuses and difficulties, and seems peculiarly adapted to the circumstances of Indian Offices, the responsible heads of which have necessarily no intimate acquaintance with the personal qualifications of candidates for admission, and are driven to rely upon the partial recommendations of subordinates or the certificates of irresponsible outsiders.

5. It has therefore been determined for the future to hold in Calcutta, and such other places as may be hereafter appointed for the purpose, an examination on the 15th January of each year (or on the day following if the 15th be a holiday) for the purpose of selecting candidates for appointments in the Secretariat Offices of the Government of India. The arrangements for the examinations will be made by the Board of Examiners, Fort William, who will be assisted by paid examiners, and act in communication with the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department.

6. The nature of the examination will be as follows :—

A.—For all candidates.

(1) Dictation and Handwriting.

This will be a preliminary test, which all candidates, whether for the Upper or Lower Division, must satisfy. No marks will be assigned; but a high standard of proficiency will be insisted upon. The papers of candidates will be examined as soon as possible after this examination, and the examiners will require any candidate who fails to pass this test to withdraw from the further examination.

B.—For candidates for appointments in the Upper Division.

	Marks.
*(1) Arithmetic, Algebra, and the Geometry of the Straight Line and Circle ... Two papers will be set of a character to test intelligence and application of knowledge rather than memory and acquaintance with book-work.	500
(2) History (English and Indian) and Geography ... ... Two papers will be set in these subjects.	500
(3) English Composition	500
(4) Précis-writing and letter-drafting	500

No candidate will be credited with marks in any subject unless he obtains at least one-sixth of the full number of marks for that subject. Subject to this proviso, successful candidates will be placed in the order of their aggregate of marks.

C.—For candidates for appointment in the Lower Division.

	Marks.
*(1) Arithmetic; Algebra up to Quadratic Equations (inclusive); Euclid, Books I—IV (Book work and riders). Two papers will be set.	500
(2) History (English and Indian) and Geography ... ... Two papers will be set.	500
(3) English Composition	500
(4) Docketing and letter-drafting	500

In subjects (1), (2), and (3) any candidate obtaining less than one-fourth of the full marks will be disqualified. In subject (4) no candidate will be credited with marks unless he obtains at least one-sixth of the total number; but

* Candidates will not be eligible for the Lower Division of the Financial Department, for the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, or for the Office of the Director General of Railways, unless they obtain at least one-third of the full number of marks in this subject.

The Financial Department further reserves the right of requiring that in any year 500 extra marks shall be assigned by the examiners for special proficiency in mathematics, or that an extra paper shall be set in that subject carrying that number of marks. These marks will not be counted in the aggregate of marks regulating the placing of successful candidates, but the Financial Department will be guided in its selection of candidates by the number of such extra marks obtained, and may select a candidate not on the list of successful candidates on the ground of his special proficiency in mathematics as ascertained by the award of such extra marks. Notice of the intention of the Financial Department to avail itself of this provision will be given before each annual examination.

failure will not disqualify a candidate. Subject to these conditions, successful candidates will be placed in the order of their aggregate of marks.

7. Every candidate for an appointment in the Lower Division must send a written application for permission to appear at the examination to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners between the 1st and 15th days of December (inclusive). The application should be in the form given on the margin, and be accompanied by a treasury receipt for the sum of Rs. 10, which the candidate is required to pay into the treasury nearest his place of residence, by way of examination fee. With the application must also be forwarded—

[FORM.]

To the Secretary to the Board of Examiners,
Fort William.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing examination of candidates for appointments in the Lower Division of Government Clerkships. If successful, I should elect to serve in the office of the . A treasury receipt for the fee of Rs. 10 is forwarded herewith.

I am, &c.

(1) Evidence that the candidate is not less than 18 and not more than 24 years of age.

(2) A certificate that the candidate is of good moral character from the head of the institution in which he has last been educated, or (when a year or more has elapsed since his education terminated) from some respectable householder, to whom he is well known in private life, and who is himself personally known to the head of some Government Office,—this last fact being certified by the countersignature of the officer in question.

8. Every candidate for an appointment in the Upper Division must in the same way send a written application for permission to appear at the examination to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners between the dates above specified. The application should be in the form given on the margin, and be accompanied by a treasury receipt for the sum of Rs. 20 by way of examination fee. Candidates must forward with the application the evidence of age and the certificate of moral character prescribed in paragraph 7 above.

[FORM.]

To the Secretary to the Board of Examiners,
Fort William.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing examination of candidates for appointments in the Upper Division of Government Clerkships. If successful, I should elect to serve in the office of the . A treasury receipt for the fee of Rs. 20 is forwarded herewith.

I am, &c.

9. The number of candidates to be selected by the Examiners for each Division will be notified in the *Gazette of India* by the Home Department on or before the 30th November. This number will be determined, in communication with the heads of the offices concerned, with reference to the number of vacancies existing or estimated as likely to occur within the course of the following year (and which it is not intended to fill under the provisions of paragraphs 12 or 13 below), *plus* a margin of 10 per cent. for casualties. In each year after the first the number of appointments to be notified will be reduced by the number of selected candidates remaining on the list from former years who may not yet have received appointments.

10. Persons who have at any time held a permanent appointment in any of the offices affected by the Resolution, but who may have lost such appointment owing to its abolition or on reduction of establishment, may present themselves for examination under these rules without payment of fee, provided they are under 40 years of age.

11. Clerks in the Lower Division of an office who are under 40 years of age, may, with the permission of the head of the office, present themselves for examination for appointments in the Upper Division without payment of fee.

12. Except as provided in paragraph 13 below, there will, after the 1st April 1887, be no promotion from the Lower to the Upper Division. But (to meet the case of clerks who are at the date of the issue of this Resolution serving in the Lower Division) up to the 1st April 1887 every alternate vacancy in the Upper Division of an office may be filled by the head of the office, by the promotion of clerks who were serving in the Lower Division of that office on the 1st January 1883, in accordance with the results of a departmental examination or otherwise as the head of the office may think fit.

13. After the 1st April 1887, every third vacancy occurring in the Upper Division of an office may be filled up by the head of the office, if he thinks fit, in accordance with the results of a departmental examination of clerks already in the Lower Division of that office.

14. As soon as practicable after the open competitive examinations, the Board of Examiners will report the result to the Home Department, which will circulate a list of selected candidates to the heads of the offices concerned. Candidates will be given their choice of Departments as far as possible, and the Home Department will intimate such choice, if made, to the head of each office, who will offer the vacant appointments at his disposal to the candidates electing his office in the order in which they stand on the list, and thereafter to the other candidates in the same order, through the Home Department. It will be open to the head of an office to select in preference to other successful candidates for the Upper Division any candidate on the list of selected candidates who already belongs to the Lower Division of that office. Priority of selection as between the heads of different offices will be regulated by such orders as the Governor General in Council may from time to time make in this behalf. In the case of the Foreign Office, the Secretary will be at liberty to select any candidate on the list. No candidate not already in Government service should, however, be actually employed in any office unless he produces a certificate from a Government Medical officer of or above the rank of Assistant Surgeon that he is in good health and of a sound constitution. It will be open to a selected candidate to decline any particular appointment offered him, and his name will not on that account be removed from the list; but the name of no outside candidate will be retained on the list for either division after he has attained the age of 25 years, or for more than two years after the date of his being entered as a selected candidate.

15. All selected candidates receiving appointments will be on probation for twelve months; and if at the close of that period their work has not been found to give satisfaction, they will receive their discharge, and will have no claim to gratuity or compensation on that account. This rule will not apply to clerks selected for the Upper Division who were previously permanent clerks in the Lower Division.

16. Candidates accepting appointments must understand that their future promotion in their office within the Division to which they belong will depend entirely upon their work and merits. No clerk will have any claim as of right to rise beyond the grade upon which he may have been brought in, though in ordinary course clerks who satisfy the head of their Office will receive promotion to vacancies in the Division as they occur, new entrants being, as a rule, though not as a matter of course, brought in on the lower grades.

17. Transfers from the Upper Division of one Government Office to that of another, or from the Lower Division of one Office to that of another, may be arranged by the heads of the offices concerned; but no transfer by arrangement from the Lower Division of one Office to the Upper Division of another can be allowed in future.

18. These orders will apply to the Secretariat Offices of the Government of India, and the Offices of—

The Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.
The Surgeon-General with the Government of India.
The Inspector General of Forests.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.
The Director General of Railways.
The Surveyor General of India.
The Superintendent of the Geological Survey.
The Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.
The Accountant General, Military Department.
The Commissary General.
The Inspector General of Ordnance.
The Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces.
The Director General of Telegraphs.

19. On the occurrence of any vacancy hereafter in any office to which this Resolution applies, when no candidate qualified under these rules is available to fill such vacancy, temporary arrangements may be made by the Head of the Office to carry on the work until the results of the next examination are known.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded for information and guidance to all the Departments of the Government of India and to the Heads of Offices* under the Home Department, and that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

* Surgeon-General with the Government of India.
Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.
Registrar of the Calcutta University.

FEES TO BE CHARGED AND FORMS TO BE USED BY NOTARIES PUBLIC APPOINTED UNDER THE NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS ACT, XXVI OF 1881.

No. $\frac{17}{1030\text{-}1039}$, dated Simla, the 19th July 1883.

From—A. MACKENZIE, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India,

To—All Local Governments and Administrations.

I am directed to forward, for adoption, the accompanying table of fees, which have been approved by the Governor General in Council, to be charged by persons appointed to perform the functions of Notaries Public under the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881. I am to add that Government servants who are appointed Notaries Public should not be allowed to appropriate such fees as they may receive in that capacity, but should credit them to Government. I am also to forward a set of eleven forms for use by Notaries Public appointed under the Negotiable Instruments Act.

2. The Act only requires Notaries Public to register the declarations of acceptors or payers for honour (sections 109 and 113); but the Governor General in Council considers it desirable that the Notaries Public appointed under the Act should, following the practice existing in the Presidency Towns, also register notings and protests made by them. No particular form of register is necessary for these purposes. It will be sufficient if each Notary Public be instructed to keep a substantial blank book in which to enter copies of all the letters he may write presenting bills for acceptance or payment; of all bills noted or protested, or accepted or paid for honour, together with all endorsements thereon (including that made by himself, to the effect that the bill has been noted or protested for non-payment or non-acceptance); of all protests made by himself and of all declarations made by acceptors or payers for honour. It will further be necessary that the Notary should, after examination of each entry in the book, affix his signature thereto.

3. Lastly, I am to point out that Notaries Public appointed under the Act ought to have a seal. A plain circular seal with the name of the Notary and the circumscription "Notary Public" is all that appears to be required.

4. This circular and annexures will be published in the *Gazette of India*.

Table of fees to be charged by persons appointed by the Governor General in Council under Section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, to perform the functions of a Notary Public under that Act.

TABLE.

1. For noting an instrument—

		Rs.
If the amount of the instrument does not exceed Rs. 200	...	1
If it exceeds Rs. 200, but does not exceed Rs. 1,000	...	2
If it exceeds Rs. 1,000, but does not exceed Rs. 5,000	...	3
If it exceeds Rs. 5,000, but does not exceed Rs. 20,000	...	5
If it exceeds Rs. 20,000, but does not exceed Rs. 30,000	...	6
If it exceeds Rs. 30,000, but does not exceed Rs. 50,000	...	7
If it exceeds Rs. 50,000	...	8

		Rs.
2. *For protesting an instrument*—		
If the amount of the instrument does not exceed Rs. 200	...	5
If it exceeds Rs. 200, but does not exceed Rs. 1,000	...	6
If it exceeds Rs. 1,000, but does not exceed Rs. 5,000	...	7
If it exceeds Rs. 5,000, but does not exceed Rs. 20,000	...	10
If it exceeds Rs. 20,000, but does not exceed Rs. 30,000	...	11
If it exceeds Rs. 30,000, but does not exceed Rs. 40,000	...	12
If it exceeds Rs. 40,000, but does not exceed Rs. 50,000	...	13
If it exceeds Rs. 50,000, but does not exceed Rs. 60,000	...	14
If it exceeds Rs. 60,000, but does not exceed Rs. 70,000	...	15
If it exceeds Rs. 70,000, but does not exceed Rs. 80,000	...	16
If it exceeds Rs. 80,000, but does not exceed Rs. 90,000	...	17
If it exceeds Rs. 90,000, but does not exceed Rs. 1,00,000	...	18
If it exceeds Rs. 1,00,000	...	22
3. For recording an acceptance or payment for honour	...	2-8
4. Duplicate protests, half the charge for the original.		

I.

FORM OF NOTING.

(SEE SECTION 99.)

(To be made upon the instrument, or upon a paper attached thereto, or partly upon each.)

Date of dishonour

Reason, if any, assigned for dishonour (or, if the instrument has not been expressly dishonoured, reason why holder treats it as dishonoured).

(Signed) A. B.,

Notary Public.

Notary's Charges.

II.

FORM OF PROTEST OF BILL OF EXCHANGE FOR NON-ACCEPTANCE.

(SEE SECTION 101.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , *in the* Presidency/Province *of* , in British India, at the request of *C. D.*, of , did on the day of 188 , at , demand acceptance of the bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed") from *E. F.*, to which demand he made answer (*state terms of the answer, if any*) (or "to which demand he gave no answer"); wherefore I now, in the presence of *M. N.* and *O. P.*, witnesses, do protest the said bill of exchange.

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

M. N., *O. P.* } Witnesses.

NOTE.—When, after a bill is protested and before the protest is drawn up, it is accepted for honour, the protest should further state the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such acceptance was offered and effected.

III.

FORM OF PROTEST OF BILL OF EXCHANGE FOR NON-ACCEPTANCE WHEN THE DRAWEE CANNOT BE FOUND.

(SEE SECTION 101.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency/Province of , in British India, at the request of *C. D.*, of , did on the day of , 188 , make reasonable search at for *E. F.*, in order to demand from him acceptance of the bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything

written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed"), but was unable to find him there; wherefore I now, in the presence of *M. N.* and *O. P.*, witnesses, do protest the said bill of exchange.

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

M. N. } Witnesses.
O. P. }

NOTE.—When, after a bill is protested and before the protest is drawn up, it is accepted for honour, the protest should further state the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such acceptance was offered and effected.

IV.

FORM OF PROTEST OF PROMISSORY NOTE OR BILL OF EXCHANGE FOR NON-PAYMENT.

(SEE SECTION 101.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency / Province of , in British India, at the request of *C. D.*, of , did on the day of , 188 , at , demand payment of the promissory note (or "bill of exchange," as the case may be) hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed") from *E. F.*, to which demand he made answer (*state the terms of his answer, if any*) (or "to which demand he gave no answer"); wherefore I now, in the presence of *M. N.* and *O. P.*, witnesses, do protest the said promissory note (or "bill of exchange," as the case may be).

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

M. N. } Witnesses.
O. P. }

NOTE.—When, after a bill is protested and before the protest is drawn up, it is paid for honour, the protest should further state the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such payment was offered and effected.

V.

PROTEST OF PROMISSORY NOTE OR BILL OF EXCHANGE FOR NON-PAYMENT, WHEN THE MAKER, DRAWEE OR ACCEPTOR (AS THE CASE MAY BE) CANNOT BE FOUND.

(SEE SECTION 101.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency / Province of , in British India, at the request of *C. D.*, of , did on the day of 188 , make reasonable search at for *E. F.*, in order to demand from him payment of the promissory note (or "bill of exchange," as the case may be) hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed"), but was unable to find him there; wherefore I now, in the presence of *M. N.* and *O. P.*, witnesses, do protest the said promissory note (or "bill of exchange," as the case may be).

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

M. N. } Witnesses.
O. P. }

NOTE.—When, after a bill is protested and before the protest is drawn up, it is paid for honour, the protest should further state the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such payment was offered and effected.

VI.

FORM OF PROTEST OF BILL OF EXCHANGE FOR BETTER SECURITY.

(SEE SECTION 101.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency/Province of , in British India, at the request of *C. D.*, of , did on the day of 188 , at , demand better security for the bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed") from *E. F.*, in consequence of his having become insolvent (or "his credit having been publicly impeached," as the case may be), to which demand he made answer (*state the terms of his answer, if any*) (or "to which demand he gave no answer"); wherefore I now, in the presence of *M. N.* and *O. P.*, witnesses, do protest the said bill of exchange.

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

M. N. } Witnesses.
O. P. }

NOTE.—When, after a bill is protested and before the protest is drawn up, it is accepted for honour, the protest should further state the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such acceptance was offered and effected.

VII.

FORM OF PROTEST OF BILL OF EXCHANGE FOR BETTER SECURITY WHEN THE ACCEPTOR CANNOT BE FOUND.

(SEE SECTION 101.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency/Province of , in British India, at the request of *C. D.*, of , did on the day of , 188 , make reasonable search at for *E. F.*, in order to demand better security for the bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed"), in consequence of his having become insolvent (or "his credit having been publicly impeached," as the case may be), but was unable to find him there; wherefore I now, in the presence of *M. N.* and *O. P.*, witnesses, do protest the said bill of exchange.

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

M. N. } Witnesses.
O. P. }

NOTE.—When, after a bill is protested and before the protest is drawn up, it is accepted for honour, the protest should further state the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such acceptance was offered and effected.

VIII.

FORM OF NOTICE OF PROTEST TO DRAWER TO BE GIVEN BY A NOTARY PUBLIC.

(SEE SECTION 102.)

Take notice that a bill of exchange for Rs. drawn by you under date the on and payable at has been dishonoured by non-acceptance (or non-payment, as the case may be) and protested, and that you are held responsible therefor.

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

IX.

FORM OF NOTICE OF PROTEST TO INDORSER, TO BE GIVEN BY A NOTARY PUBLIC.

(SEE SECTION 102.)

Take notice that a bill of exchange for Rs. drawn by under date the on and payable at , and bearing your endorsement, has been dishonoured by non-acceptance (or non-payment, as the case may be) and protested, and that you are held responsible therefor.

(Signed) *A. B.*,

Notary Public.

X.

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY AN ACCEPTOR FOR HONOUR.

(SEE SECTION 109.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, of , in the Province of , in British India, do hereby, on the day of , 188 , in the presence of C. D., Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Indian Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency/Province of , in British India, declare that I accept under protest the protested bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed") for the honour of *(here insert the name of the drawer or indorser for whose honour the bill is accepted)* (or "for honour").

(Signed) *A. B.*

In the presence of *C. D.*,

Notary Public.

XI.

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY A PAYER FOR HONOUR.

(SEE SECTION 113.)

Know all men that I, *A. B.*, of , in the Province of , in British India, do hereby, on the , day of , 188 , in the presence of *C. D.*, a Notary Public appointed under section 3 of the Indian Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, of , in the Presidency/Province of , in British India, declare that I will pay the protested bill of exchange hereto annexed (or "a literal transcript whereof and of everything written or printed thereupon is hereto annexed") for the honour of (*here insert the name of the party for whose honour the payment is to be made*).

(Signed) *A. B.*

In the presence of *C. D.*,

Notary Public.

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 18th July, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.

The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BIKRÁMA SINGH'S ESTATES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to confirm and give effect to an award made by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General regarding certain matters in dispute between Sardár Bikráma Singh and the Kapúrthhala State be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

BURMA LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-government in British Burma. He said:—

"The Government of India has for some time had under consideration the question of amending the law relating to municipalities in British Burma, so as to bring it more completely into harmony with those principles of local self-government which have been recently laid down by the Government of India, and generally adopted in other provinces. The Bill which I am now asking for leave to introduce has been prepared for the purpose of making such amendments in the existing Municipal Act for British Burma (Act VII of 1874) as are needed for the purpose of giving effect to this object. We have found it convenient to repeal this Act, and opportunity has been taken to introduce various improvements in matters of minor detail, such as arrangement, drafting and so forth, which the experience of the last eight or nine years has suggested.

"I do not propose to trouble the Council with any detailed account of the Bill, the provisions of which are fully explained in the Statement of Objects and Reasons. It will be sufficient to refer very shortly to one or two of the more important alterations which it will make in the law.

"In the first place, the Local Government is empowered by the Bill to include, within the limits of a municipality, not merely a town, but also any tract of country adjoining a town. This provision is not suited to the circumstances of the larger seaport towns, but it will enable a small town to be made the nucleus of some kind of organization for the neighbouring rural district. Where the provision is applied, it will be necessary to supplement the municipal fund from rural sources, and also to give such additional powers to the municipal authorities as will be requisite to enable them to deal with rural questions. Provisions having these objects in view have accordingly been introduced into the Bill.

"Then, as to the constitution of the municipal authority. Under the existing law, the municipal committee may be either elected or appointed. As a matter of fact, I believe the members of municipal committees are at present appointed in every place except Rangoon and Maulmain, where the elective system has been recently introduced. Under the Bill, at least three-fourths of the municipal board, as the authority is to be hereafter called, must be elected, except in places where the Chief Commissioner is of opinion that no suitable system of election can be devised. The chairman of a municipal board will be elected, except in places which the Local Government excludes by notification from the operation of this rule.

"The Bill does not reproduce the provision of the existing law which requires a municipality to maintain out of its funds an establishment of police. Police charges will now be borne by the Government, and a considerable amount of money will thus be set free for the purposes of general improvement.

"Under the existing Act, the Chief Commissioner has absolute power to cancel, suspend or limit any of the acts, proceedings or rules of any municipal committee. For this power the Bill proposes to substitute a carefully modified system of control similar to that established by the Local Self-government Bills recently introduced for other provinces. Again, under the existing law, the Chief Commissioner has full discretionary power to determine by rule the limits within which the local authorities are to be empowered to execute public works. This discretion is limited by the Bill, which provides that the four largest municipalities may undertake, of their own authority, works for which the estimates do not exceed Rs. 20,000, and that other municipalities may in like manner undertake works for which the estimates do not exceed Rs. 10,000."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Gazette of India*, and in the *British Burma Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Government might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

EMIGRATION BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT also moved that the Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley be added to the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the Emigration of Natives of India.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 25th July, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA;

The 20th July, 1883.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 17th JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Heavy rain fell during the past week along the Western Ghats from Travancore as far north as Baroda and Surat. At Baroda the river overflowed its banks stopping communication and damaging property. A break is much wanted in Surat and neighbourhood. In Sind prospects are improving with the rise of the river. Seasonable weather prevails over the Carnatic, but in parts of Mysore and of the Southern Mahratta Country more rain is needed. General, and in most places sufficient, rain has fallen throughout the Berars, the Central India States, and Rajputana. The tanks in Marwar continue empty and water is scarce, but the recent rain has much improved prospects. The rainfall has been generally less in Assam and Burma, and slightly increased in Bengal compared with the previous week. More rain is however required in some districts of Bengal for the rice crop. In the Central Provinces there has been heavy rain at Jubbulpore, and the weather continues generally favourable to agricultural operations. Rain fell during the week throughout the North-Western Provinces and Punjab, but in most districts it has been slight and insufficient. The latest weather telegrams report rain from most stations, except in the north of the Punjab.

There is hardly any change to record in agricultural operations. Harvesting is going on in Madras and Mysore, transplanting of rice on the western coast and throughout Bengal, Assam, and Burma. In parts of Bengal and Assam it is retarded for want of sufficient rain. Early rice and jute are being gathered in some districts of the former province. Ploughing and sowing for the *kharif* are approaching completion in Bombay, the Berars, and Central Provinces, and are in general progress in Northern India, although delayed in parts by insufficient rain.

Young locusts are appearing in the Deccan districts and form an increasing source of danger to the young crops. Some destruction has been caused in Baroda by floods. In Orissa the damage apprehended from excessive rain has proved slight and partial.

The public health is generally good, but the mortality from cholera is still severe in two districts of the Bombay Presidency.

Prices show a further rise in the North-Western Provinces.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 18th)		
Bellary ...	·99 (average of six stations).	Standing crops good; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	1·91 (average of eight stations).	Small-pox in one and cattle-disease in five taluks.
Ganjam ...	2·83 (average of fifteen stations).	Standing crops red gram, gingelly, and sugarcane thriving; cholera slight in Chicacole.
Kistna ...	1·0 (average of thirteen stations).	Agricultural operations progressing; fever, guinea-worm, small-pox, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	1·26 (average of eleven stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest *kar*, paddy, &c., yield half; cholera in parts of one taluk; small-pox and cattle-disease slight in parts of one taluk.
Coimbatore ...	1·10 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops good, except *cholum*, in parts of three taluks; harvest *cholum* and *cumboo* in parts, yield average; cholera in parts of two taluks, 8 deaths.
Tanjore ...	·29 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good, except in one taluk; but not flourishing for want of sufficient rain; cholera in two taluks, 35 deaths; cattle-disease slight in one taluk.
Madura ...	·44 (average of two stations).	Standing crops fair, except in two taluks; harvest dry crops and paddy in parts.
Malabar ...	11·50 (average of fourteen stations).	First crops progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in nine taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts, latter slight.
Travancore ...	5·447	Paddy in good condition; fever prevails. *General Remarks.*—General prospects fair.
Bombay—(July 18th)		
Kurrachee ...	2·95; average of twelve other stations, 2·02.	Small-pox disappeared from Kurrachee, now prevalent in nine villages in the districts, 39 fresh cases, 2 deaths, 24 remaining sick; river at Kotri on 16th, 16 feet 10 inches, against 17 feet on same date last year; fever in five talukas; *kharif* sowings progressing and rice transplanting commenced; wheat, red rice, and *bajri* in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 38, in Dadur 32 and 48, in Tatta 26, 28 and 36, and in Sujawal 26, 34 and 40 lbs. per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Average of nine talukas, 1·10.	River rising daily; want of water felt in taluka Badin; small-pox in seven talukas; wheat 25, *bajri* 39, *juari* 50, red rice 28, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	2·30	Total rainfall 14·19; sowing progressing; wheat 26 and *bajri* 30 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	10·23	Total rainfall 31·60; river flooded its banks on 10th, communication between camp and city and railway station stopped for some hours, some damage to property; health good; *bajri* 27 and rice 24 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—*contd.*		
Surat ...	11·18	Total rainfall 36·52, break wanted; sowing recommenced in some talukas; cattle-disease in Olphad; fever in Surat, Balsar, and Pardi; *juari* 35¾ and *nagli* 43½ lbs. per rupee.
Nasik ...	Heavy rain throughout the district.	Cholera still prevails in almost all talukas; transplanting of rice, *nagli*, and *wari* in Dangi villages in progress and in others sowing of *tusar* pulse crops nearly completed; old locusts still to be seen in a few places, young locusts in Niphad, Sinnar, and Yeola; wheat 25, *bajri* 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Heavy rain daily, except on 17th; total of week 24·17.	Total rainfall up to date 51·97, being 16·42 above average; abnormal temperature from 4° cool to 2° warm, vapour in air normal; abnormal wind northerly till 15th, afterwards wind normal.
Poona ...	Maximum 5·56; minimum ·32 at Indapur.	Cholera cases 705, fatal 284; *bajri* 37 and *juari* 45 lbs. per rupee, in Poona *bajri* 32 and *juari* 39 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	3·66 in Rahuri; 2·99 in Sangamner; 1·85 in Kopergaon; 1·46 in Jamkhed; slight in other talukas.	Sowing of *kharif* in progress everywhere; cholera 1,286 attacks, 623 deaths; cattle-disease in Karjat; *juari*—maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 42 in Kopergaon; *bajri*—maximum 54 lbs. in Jamkhed, minimum 33 in Kopergaon.
Sholapur ...	·40	Total rainfall 13·30; *kharif* sowings nearly completed; *juari* 62 and *bajri* 51 lbs. per rupee; cholera cases 305, deaths 100.
Dharwar ...	Slight rain in eastern talukas, heavy in western talukas; maximum at Hangal, 6·43; in Kalghatgi and Kod above 5·0 and in Dharwar above 3·0.	Sowing retarded in eastern talukas for want of rain; break desired in the western talukas; rice, sugarcane, and other standing crops promising; rice fields in Hangal and Kalghatgi being weeded; *juari* being sown in some places; fever prevails in Hangal and Mundargi; maximum prices—*juari* 74 lbs. in Kod and rice 40 lbs. per rupee in Hangal; scarcity of drinking-water in villages of Nargund petta as before.
Kanara ...	In Karwar, 23·43; in Kumpta, 22·87; in Sirsi, 19·63; in Hallial, 8·70.	Transplanting and weeding continue; rice plants and garden crops healthy; small-pox in Karwar, Bhatkal, and Sirsi, 1 death; slight fever continues in some places; common rice in Karwar 12¼ seers per rupee, in district average 13¾ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	8·30	Total rainfall 21·0; weather close and hot, except when rain is actually falling; general health fair; sowing operations continue; cholera in Morvi; *bajri* 29 and *juari* 25 lbs. per rupee.
		General Remarks.—Rain throughout the Presidency and Sind, heavy in Guzerat, but wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; sowing and transplantation of rice still in general progress; locusts in Nasik, Khandesh, Tanna, Ratnagiri, and Satara; cholera in Nasik, Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Khandesh, Tanna, and Kaladgi; small-pox in a few places; fever and cattle-disease in a few districts.
Bengal—(July 18th)		
Chittagong ...	2·12	Weather hot, with occasional rain; transplanting of *aus* rice almost over; sowing of *amun* rice continues; prospects fair; prices steady; cholera and cattle-disease still reported.
Dacca ...	6·87	*Sail* paddy being sown, *aus* paddy being harvested; in Nawabgunge *aus* and jute damaged, crops in Tonghi also damaged; sugarcane and *amun* promising.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta)	2·14	Prospects of crops good; transplanting of *amun* paddy going on; public health good.
Moorshedabad ...	·54	More rain much wanted for transplanting operations; prospects of *bhadoi* crop favourable; public health generally good.
Rajshahye ...	·95, a good fall of rain	Weather cloudy; crops doing fairly, but require more rain.
Burdwan ...	1·82	Rainfall insufficient for transplanting, especially in Cutwa; prospects of *amun* crops unfavourable; public health fair.
Rungpore ...	3·52	Prospects of crops favourable; transplanting of *amun* going on; cholera still prevalent in some parts of the district.
Bhagalpur ...	1·98	Prospects good; *bhadoi* crops promising; *murwa* and *aghani* paddy being transplanted in north; public health good.
Purneah ...	1·17	Rain now falling was wanted; prospect of crops good; public health good.
Patna ...	1·39	Ploughing and sowing going on; prospects of crops good.
Durbhunga ...	·51	More rain badly wanted; transplanting checked; prices rising slightly; health good.
Hazaribagh ...	·28	Weather warm and cloudy; prospects of crops continue good; a few cases of cholera reported; general health good.
Cuttack ...	2·41	Weather warm, alternate clouds and sunshine; *beali* rice being weeded; *sarad* being reploughed; prices of rice stationary; public health good; crops on low lands in some parts of Jawajpore and Kendrapara sub-divisions suffered slightly from recent floods.
		General Remarks.—General rain fell during the week, but in many districts the fall was slight; in several places transplanting of *amun* rice is retarded for want of sufficient rain; early crops are still generally reported to be good, but are in want of rain in some places; the floods in Orissa have caused but little and partial; damage to crops on low lands; *aus* rice and jute are being gathered in some districts; general health is good though cholera still lingers in certain places, and fever is reported from a few districts.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 17th)	·9; Chandausi, ·5	*Kharif* sowings in progress; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ 18th)	Rain almost nothing till 17th, when ·4 fell at Sadr.	Sky now overcast, giving hopes of more rain which is much wanted for the crops; *kharif* sowings delayed for want of rain; cholera diminished; prices risen.
Gorakhpur („ 16th)	No rain	Weather muggy; *kharif* sowings in progress; no epidemic; prices steady.
Jhansi („ „)	1·6; Mau, 2·8; Moth, 1·5; Garotha, 9·2.	Sowing of seed in progress; cotton and *juari* germinating; prices stationary; health good.
Agra („ 17th)	·9 to 3·5 in six parganas.	More rain needed in some parts of the district where very little has fallen; *kharif* sowings continue; fever in two and small-pox in one pargana; sporadic cholera in four parganas; prices rising slightly.
Bareilly („ „)	Rain fairly general, but unequally distributed.	Sowings continue; rice in places backward; prices almost stationary; health satisfactory.
Meerut („ „)	Mawana, 1·6; Ghaziabad, ·6; Bagpat, ·4; Hapur, ·8.	Good rain fell this morning (17th); agricultural operations delayed for want of rain; cotton generally sown, but only half the ordinary autumn crop; health good; prices unchanged.
Kumaun („ „)	Rain insufficient	Local crops doing pretty well, but on the point of being injured by drought in a few places; general health good; cattle-disease continues; prices stationary.
Lucknow („ „)	·1; Maliabad, ·6; Mohanlalganj, *nil*.	More rain urgently required; prices steady; health of men and cattle good.
Partabgarh („ „)	Sadr, ·2; Khaudwa, ·2; Patti, ·3.	Rain to-day (17th); crops coming on fairly, but more rain wanted; general health good; prices have risen slightly.
Sitapur („ „)	·8; Biswan, ·1; Misrikh, ·2.	Rain more urgently required in two tahsils; crops reported to be drying up; no sickness; prices rising.
Fyzabad („ „)	Sadr, ·4; Bikapur, 1·9; Akbarpur, 1·8; Tanda, ·2.	Sowing of *kharif* crops completed; fever and small-pox in parts of district; cattle-disease at Akbarpur.
Rae Bareli („ 16th)	·2; and ·04	Weather cloudy and sultry; *kharif* sowings arrested for want of rain; prices rising.
Cawnpore („ 17th)	·7 average in five parganas.	Fever and cholera diminished; *kharif* ploughing and sowing in progress; prices almost stationary.
Farukhabad („ „)	Slight showers only have fallen west of the Ganges since the close of the week reported on; good rain has fallen at head-quarters, and appears to have been pretty general.	Cultivators anxious about insufficiency of rain; slight rise in prices.
		General Remarks.—Rain fell in all reporting districts, except Gorakhpur, but the fall was generally slight, and in many districts more is wanted; agricultural operations have been delayed in places owing to scarcity of rain, on the other hand in Moradabad 12 inches, and in Jhansi 9 inches, of rain have fallen; cholera is mentioned only in the Allahabad, Cawnpore, and Agra reports, it has decreased in the two former districts; prices rose in many districts during the week.
Punjab—(July 17th)		
Delhi ...	1·1	Health fair; prices fluctuating.
Hissar ...	.....	No report received.
Umballa ...	·8	Health fair; prices stationary.
Jullundur ...	·2	Health good; prices rising.
Amritsar ...	1·0	Health good; prices stationary.
Sialkot ...	3·0	Health good; prices stationary.
Ferozepore ...	2·8 at Sadr, less elsewhere.	Health good; prices stationary.
Lahore ...	·8	Health good; slight rise in prices.
Rawalpindi ...	4·3	Health good; fall in prices.
Mooltan ...	·3	Health good; prices fluctuating.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	·8	Health good; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	1·0	A few cases of small-pox; prices almost stationary.
		General Remarks.—Rain throughout the province, but more needed; health good, except in the Delhi, Umballa, and Peshawar districts; *kharif* sowings in progress.
Central Provinces—(July 17th)		
Nagpur ...	2·3	Weather oppressive and showery; cotton sowings completed; *juari* sowings in progress; a break would be beneficial; cholera slight; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	10·39	Weather cloudy and wet, but seasonable and beneficial to crops; common and other sowings continue; small-pox lingering; wheat 22 and rice 14 seers per rupee.
Saugor ...	1·39	*Kharif* sowings general; cotton being weeded; other crops favourable; prices steady; health good.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central Provinces— *contd.*		
Seoni (July 17th)	5·77	Break in rain much wanted; *kharif* sowings progressing; 8 deaths from cholera; prices steady.
Hoshangabad ...	1·61	Weather cloudy and rainy; sowings continue; cotton being weeded; 2 deaths from small-pox; wheat 14, rice 9, and *juari* 21 seers per rupee.
Khandwa ...	4·88	Weather cloudy and rainy; sowing almost completed; field destroyed by locusts being resown; 40 deaths from cholera; wheat 16, *juari* 18¾, and rice 14¾ seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	1·13	Weather hot and oppressive; prospects good; prices steady.
Sambalpur ...	3·21	Weather seasonable; prospects good; prices steady.
		General Remarks.—Weather cloudy and rainy; sowings continue; prospect of crops very favourable; prices steady.
British Burma— (July 19th)		
Akyab ...	2·82	Total rainfall up to date 74·54; 9 deaths from cholera in town and 17 in district, otherwise public health good; 167 buffaloes and 13 cows died in four townships; health of plough cattle good, except in five townships; about 206,000 acres ploughed; sowing commenced in some places; ploughing wages from 15 to 40 baskets per man per season.
Rangoon ...	3·12	Total rainfall up to date 33·00; public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 101 to Rs. 103 per 100 baskets; prices falling again.
Bassein ...	4·08	Total rainfall up to date 38·96; 1 death from cholera in town, otherwise public health good; 53 deaths of cattle in two townships; ploughing progressing.
Promo ...	1·60	Total rainfall up to date 22·81; public health good; health of plough cattle good, except at Mahathaman where 21 deaths are reported; estimated area ploughed 24,000 acres; more rain is required in the Shwaylay township; average ploughing wages Rs. 2-8 per acre.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	9·04	Total rainfall up to date 70·62; public health in Moulmein and district good; 398 deaths of cattle in two townships; about 80 per cent. fields ploughed; health of plough cattle good; sowing progressing, about 15 per cent. fields sown; nurseries healthy in Moulmein town; ploughing and sowing progressing, about 150 acres ploughed during the week; health of cattle good; about 50 acres of crops destroyed by crabs; transplanting commenced; transplanting wages 8 annas per day.
Toungoo ...	2·02	Total rainfall up to date 28·72; public health good; 1 death of cattle in Myoma township; ploughing progressing rapidly; health of plough cattle good.
		General Remarks.—Public health keeps good; slight cattle-disease in most districts, but nowhere severe, and not on the increase; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy fairly steady.
Assam—(July 18th)		
Gauhati ...	·81	Weather hot; public health fairly good; reaping of *ahu dhan* in progress; rain wanted for transplanting *sali dhan*.
Sylhet ...	3·38	Crop prospects favourable; small-pox unabated.
Cachar ...	3·92	Weather cloudy, with rain; transplanting *aus* crops progressing and that of *sali* commenced; rice 16 seers per rupee; public health fair; small-pox still reported from Halikandi.
Dibrugarh ...	4·76	Weather cloudy; transplanting of *sali* crops progressing; public health good; cattle-disease reported.
Mysore and Coorg— (July 18th)		
Bangalore ...	·66	More rain wanted in some taluks; sowing operations in progress; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Mysore ...	·25	Standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Mercara ...	15·21	Weather stormy; transplanting of rice commenced; serious inconvenience felt on coffee estates from want of labour; health good; prices of food-grains have fallen considerably owing to abundance of supply in Mysore market.
		General Remarks.—Good rain in Shimoga and Kadwi districts, light rain in other districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; no material change in prices.
Berar & Hyderabad— (July 18th)		
Amraoti ...	1·84	*Juari* sowings in progress; wheat 15 and *juari* 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	9·79	*Kharif* sowings completed.
Hyderabad (July 13th)	·1 average during week.	Total rainfall from 1st January 9·29; *kharif* sowings completed, and ground being prepared for *abi* crops; cholera continues in one taluk, but in a very mild form; prices—wheat 14, coarse rice 10½, white *juari* 24, yellow *juari* 27, and *tur* 23 seers per current sicca rupee.
Hyderabad („ 19th)	2·15	Total rainfall from 1st January 11·44; *kharif* prospects good; *abi* sowings commenced; weather cloudy, with high winds; cholera in one taluka; prices—wheat 15, coarse rice 11, white *juari* 22, yellow *juari* 28¼, and *tur* 25 seers per current sicca rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central India States—(July 18th)		
Indore ...	1·35	Weather normal; season favourable; health good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	1·5	Health good; weather sultry and cloudy.
Sutna ...	4·42	Rain not yet general; health good.
Rutlam ...		During week ending 6th 13 cases, 5 deaths at Surkhera Sitaman; public health otherwise good.
Sehore ...	6·40	Weather cloudy; crops and public health good.
Neemuch ...	2·53	Weather seasonable; public health good; crops in progress.
Goona ...	1·7	Weather cloudy; *kharif* sowings continue; health fair; wheat 23 seers 8 chittacks per rupee.
Bhopal ...	.....	No report received.
Agar ...	3·8	Seventy-six cases of cholera, 41 fatal; in city of Agar from 5th instant, 1 fatal case.
Nowgong ...	5·13	Weather seasonable; *kharif* prospects good; public health fair; prices steady.
Rajputana—		
Abu (July 18th)	7·77	During week heavy rain, high wind.
Sirohi („ 15th)	1·83	Tanks and wells full; health and crop prospects good.
Marwar („ 13th)	1·04	Rain general though unequal throughout Marwar, more copious in districts, but slight in Jodhpur, consequently no water brought into empty tanks; tanks all empty; water obtained from wells with great difficulty; health good; crop prospects much improved since the recent rains; prices stationary.
Meywar („ 15th)	3·54	Tanks and wells good; health and crop prospects very good; weather seasonable.
Harowti („ 14th)	Deoli, 3·21; Tonk, ·41	Crops thriving; health good.
Jhallawar ...	.....	No report received.
Ajmere (July 17th)	5·20	Weather seasonable; tanks filling up; health fairly good.
Jeypore („ „)	4·06	Sowings active; cholera in capital and districts abating; prices stationary.
Bhurtpore ...	.....	No report received.
Ulwur (July 17th)	Average 1·64	Sowings continue; cholera continues in four tahsils; prices steady.
Nepal—(July 13th)		
Katmandu ...	5·81; constant rain	Agricultural prospects good; transplanting of rice finished.

T. W. HOLDERNESS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Printed and Published for the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA *at the* GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BRANCH PRESS, *Simla.*

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, &c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 17th March 1883.

From the 7th April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, and V of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Reports, will be published at Simla. After the 31st March, all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts, should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

Parts IV and V of the *Gazette of India*, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Council, may be subscribed for separately from the other Parts of the Gazette. The annual subscription for the two Parts is R5 per annum, payable in advance. When sent by post, R2-8 per annum additional will be charged for postage.

Complaints regarding non-receipt of any number of the *Gazette* should be forwarded within a week after the day on which it is due.

Applications for the supply of the *Gazette* on the *public service* should be addressed to the Home Department.

By an order of Government, all subscriptions must be paid *in advance*.

	R	a.	p.
Subscription for *Gazette* and Supplement per annum	15	0	0
Postage	5	8	0
Subscription for Supplement only	6	0	0
Postage	3	0	0
For a single copy of the *Gazette*	0	8	0
For a single copy of the Supplement	0	4	0

Postage on single copies varies according to weight.

E. J. DEAN,

Publisher, Gazette of India.

BANK OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

Calcutta, the 19th July 1883.

The Directors have appointed Mr. A. M. Lindsay to act as Agent at Bombay, during Mr. Slater's absence on three months' leave.

R. HARDIE,

Secretary & Treasurer.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th July 1883.

No. 367.—In continuation of Notification No. 344, dated 30th March last, Mr. W. W. McNair, Surveyor, 4th Grade, Survey of India, is permitted to spend a further period of one month of his furlough in India.

G. C. DEPRÉE, *Colonel,*

Offg. Surveyor General of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA—REVENUE BRANCH.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 16th July 1883.

No. 6 *R.*—Mr. H. Dowman, Surveyor, 4th Grade, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under the provisions of Chapter X, Section 136, of the Civil Leave Code.

J. SCONCE, *Lieut.-Col.,*

Deputy Surveyor General, in charge Revenue Surveys.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore Residency, the 13th July 1883.

No. 1799.—Captain E. D. F. Bignell, Adjutant, Malwa Bheel Corps, is granted privilege leave for three months, from the 15th July 1883, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

By Order,

A. M. MUIR,

2nd Asst. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA, P. W. D. Establishment.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore, the 11th July 1883.

No. 6.—Mr. T. Knight, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, is appointed Officiating Executive Engineer, Gwalior Division.

By Order,

H. F. WHITE, *M.I.C.E.*,

Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India, P. W. D.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 12th July 1883.

No. 2333 *G.*—Lieutenant R. H. Jennings, R.E., on boundary duty in Jhallawar, availed himself, on the 1st July 1883, of the three months' privilege leave granted him in this Office Notification No. 1348 G., dated 5th May 1883.

By Order,

E. A. FRASER,

1st Asst. Agent to the Govr. Genl.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 13th July 1883.

No. 32.—Mr. P. P. Rogers, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, passed the Lower Standard Examination in the Hindustani language on the 2nd January 1883.

The 14th July 1883.

No. 33.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 170, dated 12th July 1883, Mr. C. E. Cardew, of the Locomotive Department, in Class III of the Revenue Scale, is posted to the Rajputana-Malwa State Railway.

H. F. HANCOCK, *Col., R.E.*,

Offg. Director General of Railways.

Report of a Deserter from the Royal Regiment of Artillery, dated at Colaba, Bombay, this 16th day of July 1883.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. 32171, Gunner William Walker.
Age,—22 years 5 months.
Size,—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—
Complexion, fresh; Hair, fair; Eyes, grey.
Date of Desertion,—10th July 1883.
Place of Desertion,—Colaba, Bombay.
Date of Enlistment,—30th August 1881.

At what Place Enlisted,—Waterford, Ireland.
Parish and County in which Born,—Trinity without Co., Waterford.
Marks,—Scar of right temple and left temple.
Trade,—Labourer.
Coat or Jacket,— } Khaki clothing.
Waistcoat,— .
Breeches or Trowsers,— .
REMARKS.—

B. V. ARBUCKLE, *Major, R.A.*,

Comdg. 9-1st Scottish Divn., R.A.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 17th July 1883.

LIABILITIES.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		35,10,866	4	4
Public Deposits at Head Office	1,05,65,396 0 5	3,10,71,397	15	9
Public Deposits at Branches	2,05,06,001 15 4			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,19,68,897	8	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.		5,28,403	3	7
Sundries		10,28,347	0	9
RUPEES		7,81,07,912	0	11

ASSETS.		R	a.	p.
Government Securities		63,04,961	0	0
Other authorized Investments		55,15,295	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		1,30,13,814	0	5
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities		55,22,760	8	0
Bills discounted and purchased		1,67,18,577	1	3
Balances with other Banks		4,94,206	2	4
Bullion		6,041	1	2
Dead Stock		12,02,565	13	1
Stamps		7,760	13	0
Sundries		7,70,712	15	6
		4,95,56,694	6	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	97,15,598 4 10	2,85,51,217	10	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	1,88,35,619 5 4			
RUPEES		7,81,07,912	0	11

By order of the Directors,

R. HARDIE,

Secy. & Treasurer.

J. GORDON,

Chief Acctt. & Depy. Secretary.

BANK OF BENGAL,

Calcutta, 19th July 1883.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th July 1883.

PARTICULARS.	3½ PER CENT. TRANSFER LOAN OF 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS								4½ PER CENT. LOANS				TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879, SEVEN SHILLINGS PER CENT. PORTION.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1867-68.	5 PER CENT. LOAN OF 1856-57.	GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1879.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1881.	TOTAL.	Of 1870.	Of 1878.	TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879, 4½ PER CENT. PORTION.	TOTAL.				
Balance of 30th June 1883	54,100	13,02,720	29,76,500	2,42,50,300	1,04,08,900	2,62,93,137	2,71,44,600	...	9,23,76,057	48,62,100	1,07,57,800	10,11,94,200	11,68,14,100	1,26,500	2,000	60,200	20,94,32,957
Add—																	
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th July 1883	...	...	500	99,800	500	1,500	2,000	...	1,04,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,04,300
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th July 1883	...	...	...	500	1,000	11,000	7,000	...	19,500	10,000	...	500	10,500	...	...	...	30,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th July 1883	...	...	1,000	1,32,300	...	96,800	1,000	..	2,31,100	...	9,500	96,000	1,05,500	...	...	...	3,36,600
	54,100	13,02,720	29,78,000	2,44,82,900	1,04,10,300	2,64,02,437	2,71,54,600	...	9,27,30,957	48,72,100	1,07,67,300	10,12,90,700	11,69,30,100	1,26,500	2,000	60,200	20,99,03,857
Deduct—																	
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	4,700	1,13,000	1,51,200	5,92,600	45,000	...	9,06,500	4,500	70,000	10,51,300	11,26,400	...	...	...	20,32,900
Balance on 15th July 1883	54,100	13,02,720	29,73,300	2,43,69,900	1,02,59,100	2,58,09,837	2,71,09,600	...	9,18,24,457	48,67,600	1,06,96,700	10,02,39,400	11,58,03,700	1,26,500	2,000	60,200	20,78,70,957

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th May 1883, enfaced from India 4,778 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 3,992 lakhs.

„ 16th May 1883 to 31st „	„	„	„	3 „	„	„ 14 „
„ 1st June „ to 15th June	„	„	„	3 „	„	„ 20 „
„ 16th „ „ to 30th „	„	„	„	8 „	„	„ 26 „
„ 1st July „ to 15th July	„	„	„	4 „	„	„ 20 „
				4,796 lakhs.		4,072 lakhs.
				4,072 „		
Balance against India				724 lakhs.		

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, the 17th July 1883.

R HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued on		Balance of Bullion		
		General Treasury.	Currency Department.	Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
1883.	R	R	R	R	R	R
July 9	...	...	...	2,37,352	25,48,910	12,62,089
,, 10	2,78,942	...	...	5,16,294	25,48,910	12,62,089
,, 11	...	...	...	5,16,294	25,48,910	12,62,089
,, 12	...	...	...	5,16,294	25,48,910	12,62,089
,, 13	...	...	2,51,973	2,79,333	28,00,846	15,19,467
,, 14	...	...	1,685	2,77,011	28,08,078	15,21,188

CALCUTTA MINT.
The 16th July 1883.

J. F. TENNANT, *Major-Genl., R.E.,*
Mint Master.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
9	D 18—63403	100	Captain John Keane, Calcutta.
	D 20—11366	100	

ALLAHABAD,
The 18th July 1883.

W. COWLEY,
Asst. Acctt. General,
In charge of Paper Currency Office.

Bombay Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1883.		R	
W43	M 74—08191	50	Merwanji Fardunji, Postwalla, Bombay.

BOMBAY,
The 17th July 1883.

C. J. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., Paper Currency Department,
for *Commissioner of Issue.*

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
93	P 47—27977	1,000	Fool Chand Makhun Lall.
94	P 9—77200	50	Lt. C. D. Learoyd, R. E.
95	L 8—08756	100	Moulla Emam Ali.
96	O 54—12446	10	Dhanee Tewaree.
98	P 9—88934	50	Babu Womesh Chunder Ghatak.
99	P 42—89569	100	Mr. J. Keane.
	P 43—90157	100	
	,, —41737	100	
	,, —95392	100	
	P 44—51892	100	
	,, —32016	100	
	,, —44455	100	
	,, —44458	100	
	,, —42878	100	
	,, —34880	100	
	,, —34881	100	

J. TAYLOR,
Asstt. Comptlr. Genl., in charge, Paper Currency.

CALCUTTA,
The 20th July 1883.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
7	E 19—33987	50	Mela Mul, Gunda Mul, Kanuk Mundee, Hoshiarpore.

LAHORE.
The 14th July 1883.

G. C. WALKER,
for *Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 14th July 1883.

No. 4300.—Appointments in the Post Office Department made by the Director General of the Post Office of India :—

POSTAL CIRCLE, BOMBAY.

Mr. M. F. Ingle is appointed to be a Mail Officer of the 2nd Class, and to officiate as Mail Officer of the 1st Class.

Mr. G. A. T. Bennett is appointed to be a Mail Officer of the 3rd Class.

Mr. L. P. Walsh is appointed to officiate as a Mail Officer of the 2nd Class.

Mr. E. Jardine is appointed to officiate as a Mail Officer of the 3rd Class.

E. R. DOUGLAS,
Depy. Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on 17th July 1883

Birdsall, Miss Lillie.
D'Oyly, Mrs.
Stone, Mrs. G. J.
Trotter, Hon'ble J. F.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Agist, John.
A. Q. R.
B. B.
Barrett, A. C.
Binnie, George.
Blackman, Russell.
Bradshaw, D. E.
Buckle, Henry.
Burlington, Charles.
Burns, John.
C. P.
Camar, Madame A.
Cammell, Minard A.
"Chaperone."
Charters, H. J.
Chase, J.
Connolly, Mrs.
Cotton, F.
Crowether, John.
Dalyell, Mrs. R. F.
David, Jacov.
D'Cruz, Mrs. Bella.
Dela Corneuve, F. E. W.
Dick, Arthur.
Donovan, John.
Dyett, B. H. R.
"Felis"
Francis, G.
Fraser, William Stirton.
Field, Miss Fanny.
Grove, H. F.
Hallewell, J. A.
Haly, J. J.
Hay, Arthur.
Harris, Lord.
Heller, Miss.
Henry, James.
Hiley, Charles.
Horridge, Charles.
Hunter, H. C. D.
Hutchinson, Miss Florence.
Jones, H.
Jones, John.
Kavanagh, P.
L. S.
Lewis, Mrs. R. B.
Matteo, Rafaille.
Maycock, A. H.
McClure, A.
Moore, William.
O'Donel, —.
Perrins, C. H.
Pethard, John.
Pimlott, James Thomas.
Pine, Arol.
Rains, —.
Rostam, J. B.
Ross, J.
Salvator, Madame Amelie.
Sanford, E. C. Ayshford.
Schulze, William.
Simpson, A. B. A.
Shaw, Lt. D. G. L.
Specht, Otto.
Tucker, Mrs.
Vaughan, Percy.
White, Mrs. S.
Wiudemar, Mrs.
Winloch, Lord.

Registered Letters.

Angelo, Col. R. F.
Blin, T. A.
Browne, David.
Nardini, Sig. Raffaele.
Weben, Madame Martha.

Calcutta, the 21st July 1883.

SEA AND FOREIGN MAILS.

Foreign Mails for	Date.	Per Steamer
	1883.	
Persian Gulf	27th July	From Bombay.
Maurna, Ceylon, and Intermediate Ports	26th ,,	Str. *Scindia.*
Madras and Ceylon	26th ,,	P. and O Str. *Parramatta.*
Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, Shanghai, Yokohama, and Australian Colonies	24th ,,	From Bombay.
Foreign Mails *vid* Bombay	21st ,,	From Bombay.*
Foreign Mails *vid* Bombay	28th ,,	From Bombay.†
Do. Book Post and Pattern Packets	27th ,,	From Bombay.
Rangoon and Moulmein and Straits	25th ,,	Str. *Husara.*
Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon	25th ,,	Str. *Calcutta.*

* Also for South Africa *vid* England can be forwarded.
† Also for South Africa *vid* England; also Aden for Mauritius, Mahé (Seychelles), Mayotte, Nossi Be and Réunion can be forwarded.
N.B.—The letter-box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour, foreign letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M.

E. HUTTON,
Presidency Post Master.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

This preparation is an efficient substitute for Quinine and can be purchased by Government officers for public and charitable purposes, and by any one taking *twenty pounds* at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Calcutta, *for cash only*, at the following rates:—per four ounce tin *R4-8*; per eight ounce tin, *R8-8*; per pound tin, *R16-8*. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, *for cash only*, at the under-noted rates:—per four ounce tin *R5-8*; per eight ounce tin *R10-8*; per pound tin, *R20*. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggist in Calcutta. Postage 8 annas per four and eight ounce tins, and 12 annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

گورنمنت سنکونا فبري فيوج

يهه دوا كوئينائين كا خوب قائم مقام هى اور كلكته كے بوٹانكل گارڈن يعنے كمپني باغ كے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے هرايك ملازم سركاري واسطے سركاري كام اور خيرات كے اور سيواے اونكے جو كوئي ايك مشت بيس پونڈ خريد لينے سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد كرسكتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس كے ٹين كا چار روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس كے ٹين كا آٹهه روپيه آٹهه آنه; يك پونڈ كے ٹين كا سوله روپيه آٹهه آنه'

اور عوام‌الناس بوٹانكل گارڈن يعنے كمپني با كے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد كرسكتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس ٹين كا پانچ روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس كے ٹين كا دس روپيه آٹهه آنه ; ايك پونڈ كے ٹين كا بيس روپيه

يهه دوا كلكته كے بڑے بڑے ولايتي اور ديسي دوا خانونمين ٹكتي هى ماسيواے قيمت مذكورۂ بالا كے محصول ڈاك چار اور آٹهه اونس كے ٹين كا آٹهه آنه ; اور ايك پونڈ كے ٹين كا باره آنه

Meteorological Publications for Sale.

The following publications of the Meteorological Office of the Government of India are on sale and can be procured at the Meteorological Office, No. 4, Middleton Row, or either at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., or at Messrs. Brown & Co., at the prices noted against them:—

	R	a.	p.
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1875, 4to, 89 pages text, 297 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1876, 4to, 97 pages text, 340 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1877, 4to, 173 pages text, 375 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1878, 4to, 149 pages text, 380 pages tables, 3 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1879, 4to, 164 pages text, 273 pages tables, 4 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1880, 4to, 174 pages text, 286 pages tables, 6 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part I, 4to, 118 pages, 9 plates	2	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part II, 4to, 63 pages, 4 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part III, 4to, 86 pages, 2 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part IV, 4to, 62 pages, 8 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part V, 4to, 57 pages, 10 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part VI, 4to, 62 pages	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, cloth bound, 4to, 438 pages, 33 plates	10	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. II, Part I, 4to, 78 pages, 9 plates	1	8	0
Rainfall Chart of India, showing the average annual distribution of rainfall (in colors)	1	0	0
Report on the Vizagapatam and Backergunge Cyclones, October 1876, 4to, 87 pages, 4 plates	2	0	0
Report on the Madras Cyclone, May 1877, 4to, 117 pages text, 97 pages tables, 4 plates	2	8	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1879, corrected and reduced	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1880, corrected and reduced	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1881, corrected and reduced	2	0	0

HENRY F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

THE INDIAN LAW REPORTS.

PUBLISHED UNDER AUTHORITY.

The "Indian Law Reports," published under the authority of the Governor General in Council, will appear in monthly parts, published as soon as possible after the first of each month at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, and Allahabad, and will comprise four series,—one for the Calcutta High Court, a second for the Madras High Court, a third for the Bombay High Court, and a fourth for the Allahabad High Court. The cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from each High Court will be reported in the Series for that High Court. Cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from Provinces in India not subject to any High Court will be reported in the Calcutta Series. The Parts of each Series can be had separately, or all four Parts can be had stitched into one wrapper at the option of subscribers and purchasers. It will be observed from the following statement of the terms of subscription and sale, that a considerable reduction is allowed to persons taking the complete set:

Terms of subscription, payable annually in advance.

	Without Postage.	With Postage.
For the CALCUTTA SERIES	R35	R37-8
" MADRAS SERIES	" 8	" 9
" BOMBAY SERIES	" 8	" 9
" ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 8	" 9
Complete set	" 45	" 47-8

The price of each Part purchased separately will vary according to the amount of matter it contains, and will be printed on the wrapper. It will, however, never be below the following :—

For a Part of the CALCUTTA SERIES	R3	8
" " MADRAS SERIES	" 1	0
" " BOMBAY SERIES	" 1	0
" " ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 1	0
Complete set	" 4	0

Persons desiring to subscribe for or purchase the Reports, should apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND CO., CALCUTTA;
MESSRS. THACKER AND CO., BOMBAY;
MESSRS. HIGGINBOTHAM AND CO., MADRAS;
THE GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BOMBAY;
THE GOVERNMENT BOOK DEPOT, ALLAHABAD.

Orders and Subscriptions for 1875 should be at once remitted.

THE BENGAL LAW REPORTS.

A few sets of the Bengal Law Reports (Volumes 1 to 15) are available at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta, at R375 a set.

In order to expedite the issue of the Indian Law Reports, it has been arranged that copies shall for the future be despatched direct both to officials and subscribers from the stations at which each series is published, *viz.*, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras and Allahabad. As regards the Calcutta series, this arrangement will take effect with the number for August, 1883.

☞ The following books may be purchased from the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, No. 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, for private use only, which should be stated in the requisition.

No orders can be attended to unless accompanied by a remittance. When postage stamps are forwarded, one anna additional should be sent for every Rupee's worth of stamps, for discount in exchanging them for cash. Service labels or Court Fee stamps are not received.

Books required for the public service cannot be supplied on payment; they are only issued on the authority of the Department to which the indenting officer is subordinate. Applications for them should be made through the Local Government under which the applicant serves.

Just published.

Moore's Manual of Family Medicine for India. *Price—*
To Government Officers (except those mentioned below) and to the public at large, *R4.*
To all Officers employed in Government departments who are in receipt of salaries under R500 per mensem, on a certificate being furnished declaring that the book is to be purchased only for the personal use of the officer, *R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Transport Regulations, Part II.

Transport of Troops, Inland. *Price, R2-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Now ready.

Army List—New Number.

The Official Quarterly Bengal Army List corrected up to 30th June 1883.

☞ *From January 1881 the price of the Army List has been reduced to 1 Rupee per copy; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Now ready.

Public Works Department Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 30th June 1883. *Price R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Preliminary Administration Report on the Railways in India for 1882-83 by Colonel F. S. STANTON, R.E., Director General of Railways. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

The Report of the Rent Law Commission, with draft of Bill to amend the Law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal, in two volumes. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Report of the Government of Bengal on the proposed amendment, with revised Bill and Appendices, in two volumes. *Price, R4; packing and postage, R1.*

Correspondence between the Government of India and the Secretary of State regarding the proposed amendment. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

The Bengal Tenancy Bill, with annexures. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

INDEX to the Enactments relating to India. Compiled, under the orders of the Government of India, by Stephen Jacob, B.C.S., to which are prefixed Chronological Tables of the Acts and Regulations of the Indian Legislatures.
Price reduced from R10 to R5; packing and postage, 12 annas.

Regulations for the Medical Department, Her Majesty's Forces, Bengal, 1882. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 6 annas; interleaved copy, R2-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Travelling Allowance Code (Civil), Revised Edition, 1883. *Price R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

A Manual of the Land Revenue Systems and Land Tenures of British India, by B. H. BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S. *Royal 8vo, half calf. Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

A Manual of Jurisprudence for Forest Officers, by BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S., royal 8vo., half calf. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

Carbine and Rifle Exercises and Musketry Instruction for Native Troops, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Indian Appendix to the British Musketry Regulations, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, 12 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882. *Royal 8vo, Cloth gilt. Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Folio Foolscap.

Return of Wrecks and Casualties in Indian Waters for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, and 1881. *Price, R2 each; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Royal octavo, cloth, gilt.

The Commissariat Code for India, published under authority of the Government of India. *Price, R4; by post 8 annas extra.*

Fasciculus of forms referred to in the Code. *Price, R2; by post 14 annas extra.*

Compendium of Existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. Compiled by H. G. Whelan, Superintendent, Office of Examiner of Commissariat Accounts. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas. Interleaved copies, R6; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Appendices to the Compendium of existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. *Price, R4 for plain copies, and R5 for interleaved copies; packing and postage, 6 annas and 9 annas respectively.*

Revised edition.

General Rules and Circular Orders of the High Court in Bengal, Appellate Side—Civil, R2-8; Criminal, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas and 3 annas respectively.

☞ Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to the public monthly, at R3 a year payable in advance.

P. W. D. Code, 4th Edition.

Vol. I.—(For the use of Sub-divisional as well as Divisional Officers)—

Chap. I. Organization of the Department.—II. Rules for candidates for appointment or promotion.—III. Duties of Departmental Officers.—IV. Rules affecting personal conduct.—V. Special Rules applicable to all branches.—VI. Office arrangements.—VII. Designs and Estimates.—VIII. Contracts.—IX. Execution of works.—X. Cash and stores.—XI. Public buildings.—XII. Accounts. *Price, R2-8; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. II.—(For the use of Divisional Officers)—

Chap. XIII. Executive Engineers' Accounts.—XIV. Duties of Examiner's Office.—XV. Budget Rules and Annual Reports.—XVI. Military Works.—XVII. Irrigation. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R2-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Super-royal octavo, cloth.

Tribes of the Hindoo Koosh. *Price: R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

The Civil Service Gradation List is no longer appended to the Army List, but is published separately, and may be obtained from Mr. H. W. Ronaldson, Civil Fund Office, Calcutta. *Price, R1; postage, 4 annas.*

Select Extra-Tropical Plants readily eligible for industrial culture or naturalisation, with indications of their native countries and some of their uses, by Baron Ferd. Von Mueller. Indian edition, 1880. *Price, R4; Packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Report on Cotton Gins, and on the cleaning and quality of Indian cotton, in two parts; by Dr. FORBES WATSON. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

West India Pilot, Volume II. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

THE INDIAN STATUTE-BOOK.

REVISED EDITION.

A.—General Acts.

Vol. I.—From 1834 to 1863.

Vol. II.—From 1864 to 1871.

Vol. III.—From 1872 to June 1876. *Price of each Volume, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

B.—Local Regulations and Acts.

Vol. IV.—The Madras Code, 1876. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. V.—The Oudh Code, 1877. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. VI.—The North-Western Provinces Code, 1877. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. VII.—The British Burma Code, 1877. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. VIII.—The Panjâb Code, 1878, *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. IX.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. I. 1878. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. X.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. II, 1879. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Lower Provinces Code, 1882. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XI.—The Ajmer Code, 1879. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XII.—The Bombay Code, 1880. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XIII.—The Coorg Code, 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XIV.—The Central Provinces Code, 1881. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

C.—Statutes.

Vol. XV.—The Statutes relating to India. Vol. I, 1285 to 1855. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XVI.—The Statutes relating to India, Vol. II, 1856 to 1881. *Price, R8: packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Statutes relating to India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Unrepealed Acts of the Governor General's Council from 1854 to date available separately.

[Applications for any of the above Volumes or Acts should, when the same are required for the public service, be made to the Local Government to which the applicant is subordinate, and the Local Government will, if necessary, forward such applications to the Legislative Department. Only persons wishing to purchase copies for private use should apply to this Office.]

Abstract of Proceedings of the Legislative Council of the Governor General from July 1882. *Annual subscription R5; postage, R1. Single issue 4 annas, including postage.*

In three volumes—super royal 8vo.

Punjab Customary Law, containing selec- tion from the Records of the Punjab Government, Statements of Customary Law in different Districts, and Questions on Tribal and Local Custom. Edited by C. L. Tupper, C.S. *Price, R10 a set; packing and postage, 14 annas.*

The Book of Aids to Military Equitation practised at the Cavalry Riding Establishment, Canterbury. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

The Civil Account Code, Vol. I. Second Edition, corrected to 31st October 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

NOTIFICATIONS relative to the PUBLIC LOANS of the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, from 1822 to 1879. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Tables showing the remissions or reductions of Stamp Duty authorised since the passing of Act XXXVI of 1860. *Price, annas 2; by post, annas 3.*

Cantonment Regulations framed under Act XXII of 1864. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Audit of Cantonment Funds. *Price, annas 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Selections from the records of the Govern- ment of India—

No. CLVI.—Report on the administration of the Baroda States for 1877-78. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXIX.—Ditto for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXIX.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLX.—The wheat production and trade of India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLXIV.—Report on the administration of the Ajmere and Mhairwarra Districts for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXII.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXV.—Rajputana Dispensary, Vaccination, Jail and Sanitary Report for 1879. *Price, annas 12; packing and postage, annas 2.*

No. CLXXXIII.—Report on the Political administration of the Rajputana States, 1880-81. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Scientific results of the second Yarkund Mission—
Mollusca, R1-8; Geology, R1-8; Ichthyology. R3-8; Reptilia and Amphibia, R2-8; Hymenoptera, R1-8; Neuroptera, As. 12; Rhynchota, R2; Syringospha-erida-e, R2; Lepidoptera, R2; *packing and postage, 2 annas each.*

Ditto—Mammalia, *R35; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

A sketch of the Túrkí language as spoken in Eastern Turkistan (Káshghar and Yarkand), together with a collection of Extracts, by R. B. Shaw, F.R.G.S. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the demarcation and management of the Forests in Kulu with Map. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the management of the Forests included in the Forest School Circle, N. W. Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in Assam. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

A Manual of Chinchona Cultivation in India, by Dr G. King, M.B., F.L.S. Second Edition, 1880. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Silk in India. Some account of Silk in India, especially of the various atttempts to encourage and extend sericulture in that country. Compiled by J. Geoghegan. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Revised Edition.

Vanilla: its cultivation in India, by J. E. O'Conor. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Report on Public Instruction in Mysore for the year 1880-81. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Army Circulars (India).

A Monthly Publication. *Price, R3 per annum, payable in advance.*

List of Changes in War Matériel and of Patterns of Military Stores which have been approved by the Government of India for Her Majesty's Army serving in India. A monthly publication. *Price, R4 per annum. Payable in advance.*

A Grammar of the Róng (Lepcha) language, by Colonel G. B. Mainwaring, B.S.C. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Revised Army Regulations, corrected to 31st December 1879. *Price, R4; packing and postage, 8 annas; interleaved copies, R5; packing and postage 12 annas.*

Pay, Pension, and Promotion Code for the Military Services in India, corrected up to 18th February 1881.

Vol. I.—British Troops. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 8 annas; interleaved copies, R4; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. II.—Native Troops. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas; interleaved copies, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Alterations and additions to the Code will be issued monthly. Those who have already bought copies of the Code, may have the correction slips at the rate of one rupee annually. Those who may hereafter purchase the book will be supplied with the slips issued up to date free of charge, but must pay for subsequent issues.

☞ *The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, Calcutta.*

A Manual of Tibetan, being a Guide to the Colloquial Speech of Tibet, in a Series of Progressive Exercises, by Major T. H. Lewin, F.R.G.S., of the Bengal Staff Corps, late Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas.*

Copies are to be had at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

Examination Paper for Station Masters, Goods Clerks, Booking Clerks, Guards, Signallers, and menials employed on State Railways, by Mr. G. S. LEONARD, Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.* To be had on application from the Manager, Northern Bengal State Railway, Saidpore.

Publications for Sale at the Bengal Secretariat Press.

The Safe Use of Steam, in Bengali. *Price, 2 annas; postage, ½ anna.*

Distribution Return of Officers and Subordinates employed under District Road Cess Committees. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, 2 annas; postage, ½ anna.*

List of Officers of the Public Works Department, Bengal. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, 6 annas; postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

The Quarterly Civil List. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Reprint of the Report of the Rent Law Commission, with the draft of a Bill to consolidate and amend the law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal. Vols. I and II. *Price, R3-8; packing and postage, 9 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers engaged in the Administration of the Salt Department. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Administration of Wards' and Attached Estates. Revised edition. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Board's Rules, or Rules for the guidance of Officers engaged in the administration of the Revenue Department in the Lower Provinces of Bengal. Revised edition, Vol. I. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R5; postage, 8 annas.*

Ditto ditto, Vol. II. *Price, R3; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R3-8; postage, 8 annas.*

☞ *Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to purchasers monthly, at R2 per annum, including postage.*

Rules for the Lease of Waste Lands in Bengal, May 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Opium Department. *Published by authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. Price, R3; postage, 2 annas.*

Bengali Translation of the Revised Salt Manual. *Price, 4 annas; postage, 6 pies.*

Civil Suits, 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Rules under the Cess Act, No. IX (B.C.) of 1880. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Pilots' Code of Signals, revised, enlarged, and arranged for use with three Geometrical Shapes in combination with the eighteen International Code Flags (on the plan of the Trinity Light-house Code), intended as a Supplement to the International Code of Signals. Also Calm or Line of Wind Signals; made with the above three shapes only. Concluding with the Morse Flashing Signals. Compiled by S. R. ELSON, Licensed Master Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service. Published by authority of the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3: postage, 2 annas and 6 pies.*

The Bengal Embankment Manual: containing an account of the action of the Government in dealing with Embankments and Water-courses since the Permanent Settlement; a discussion of the principles of the Act of 1873; a reprint of the Act itself, with notes and appendices describing the present condition of Embankments under State control in Bengal, and the chief controversies concerning them. By HENRY LELAND HARRISON, B.A., C.S., late Mathematical Junior Student of Christ Church, Oxford. *Price, R2; with map, R3-4.*

The Factories' Act, XV of 1881, with Rules and Forms. *Price, 2 annas and 6 pies; packing and postage, ½ anna.*

Bengali Translations of the Rules and Notifications under the Arms Act issued by the Governments of India and Bengal. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Hindi Translation of the Rules and Noti-fications under the Indian Arms Act, 1878. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urya ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urdu ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Annual Report on Inland Emigration for 1880-81. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Ditto ditto ditto for 1882. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Papers regarding the Tea Industry in Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

List of the Trees, Shrubs, and large Climbers found in the Darjeeling District, Bengal. By J. S. GAMBLE, M.A., Assistant Conservator of Forests, Bengal. *Price, R1-8; postage, 1 anna.*

Report on the Census of Calcutta and its Suburbs, 1881. *Price R4; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1881-82. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1879-80. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1878-79. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 6 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1877-78. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3-8; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1876-77. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R5; Colored Map, R2-8.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Ganja in Bengal. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Collector, on special duty. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Jute in Bengal, and on Indian Fibres available for the Manufacture of Paper; with Map. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Magistrate, on special duty. *Price, R5, postage, 7 annas.*

Report on the Food-grain Supply and Statistical Review of the Relief Operations in the distressed districts of Behar and Bengal during the Famine of 1873-74. By A. P. MACDONNELL, of the Bengal Civil Service. *Price, R3-8; postage, 6 annas.*

Prices of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in Bengal from 1866 to 1878, compiled in the Bengal Secretariat, Statistical Department. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Report on the Census of Bengal, 1872 By H. BEVERLEY, Esq., C.S., Registrar-General of Bengal *Price, R10; postage, 9 annas.*

Report on the Effects of Artificial Respi-ration, Intravenous Injection of Ammonia, and Administration of various Drugs, &c., in India and Australian Snake-poisoning; and the Physiological, Chemical and Microscopical Nature of Snake-poisons. By the Commission appointed to investigate the subject. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Memorandum on the Revenue History of Chittagong. By H. J. S. COTTON, Esq., Collector and Magistrate of Chittagong. *Price, R2-4; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

A Report on the District of Jessore: its Antiquities, its History and its Commerce. (Second Edition, Revised and Corrected.) By J. WESTLAND, Esq., C.S., late Magistrate and Collector of Jessore. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1881-82. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1879-80. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1878-79. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1877-78. *Price, R4-8; postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1876-77. *Price, R4-8; postage, 6 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1875-76. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1874-75. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1874-75. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R4; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1873-74. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1872-73. *Price, R7-8; postage, 10 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1873. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R4; postage, 2 annas.*

Report of the Vizagapatam and Backer-ganje Cyclones of October 1876. By J. ELIOT, Esq., M.A., Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

The Winds of Northern India. By H. F. BLANFORD, Esq., Meteorological Reporter to Government. *Price, R1 per copy; postage, 2 annas.*

A Statistical Account of Bengal. By W. W. HUNTER, B.A., LL.D., Director-General of Statistics to the Government of India.

Vol.	I.	24-Pergunnahs and Sundarbans.
Vol.	II.	Nadiya and Jessore.
Vol.	III.	Midnapur, Hugli and Howrah.
Vol.	IV.	Bardwan, Bankura and Birbhum.
Vol.	V.	Dacca, Bakarganj, Faridpur and Mymensing.
Vol.	VI.	Chittagong Hill Tracts, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tipperah and Hill Tipperah.
Vol.	VII.	Maldah, Rangpur and Dinagepur.

Vol. VIII. Rajshahi and Bogra.
Vol. IX. Murshidabad and Pabna.
Vol. X. Darjiling, Jalpaiguri and Kuch Behar State.
Vol. XI. Patna and Saran.
Vol. XII. Gaya and Shahabad.
Vol. XIII. Tirhut and Champaran.
Vol. XIV. Bhagalpur and Santal Parganas.
Vol. XV. Monghyr and Purniah.
Vol. XVI. Hazaribagh and Lohardaga.
Vol. XVII. Singbhum, Tributary States and Manbhum
Vol. XVIII. Cuttack and Balasor.
Vol. XIX. Puri and Tributary States of Orissa.
Vol. XX. Fisheries and Botany of Bengal, with General Index.
Vol. XX. General Index only.

Price, per volume, R4; postage, 5 annas.

Manual of Materia Medica in Urdu, compiled by SHAIK AKBAR ALLY, Civil Hospital Assistant, Dinapore. *Price, 8 annas per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Buddha Gayá, the Hermitage of Sákya Muni. By Rájendralála Mitra, LL.D., C.I.E., Honorary Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Physical Class of the Imperial Academy of Sciences, Vienna; Corresponding Member of the German and of the American Oriental Societies; of the Royal Academy of Science, Hungary, and of the Ethnological Society of Berlin; Fellow of the Royal Society of Northern Antiquaries, Copenhagen, &c., &c. *Price, R30; packing and postage, R1-4.*

Further Notes on the Rungpore Records, Vol. II. By E. G. GLAZIER, Esq., C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore. *Price, R1; postage, 2 annas.*

Selection of Papers regarding the Hill Tracts between Assam and Burma, and on the Upper Brahmapooter. *Price, R5; postage, 4 annas.*

Selections from Divisional and District Annual Administration Reports, 1872-73, with the Government Resolutions on them. *Price, R5; postage, 6 annas.*

Selections from the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*, 1871 to 1874. *Price, R2-8; postage, 3 annas.*

Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the Dzo or Kuki Language. With Vocabularies and Popular Tales (notated). By Captain THOMAS HERBERT LEWIN, B.S.C., Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Hills. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas.*

Notes on the History of Midnapore, as contained in records extant in the Collector's Office. By J. C. PRICE, Officiating Settlement Officer of Midnapore. Vol. I. *Price, R5; postage, 3 annas.*

Descriptive Ethnology of Bengal. By EDWARD TUITE DALTON, C.S.I., Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps; Commissioner of Chutia Nagpur; Member of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, &c. *Illustrated by Lithograph Portraits copied from Photographs.* Printed for the Government of Bengal, under the direction of the Council of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.

Price—Bound copies R45 0 0
" Unbound copies . . . . . " 35 0 0

The Statistical Reporter edited by H. J. S COTTON, Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Vol. I, bound in full cloth, lettered . . R10 0 0
Vol. II, ditto ditto . . " 10 0 0
Single copies of monthly Nos. [illegible]

Annual Statement of the Sea-borne Trade and Navigation of the Bengal Presidency, and of its Chief Port and each of the Subordinate Ports, with Foreign Countries, for the official year 1875-76. Vol. I. *Price, R12; postage, 10 annas.*

Rules for the Examination of, and grant of Certificates of Competency to, Masters, Mates and Engineers. *Price, R1; postage, 1 anna.*

Abstract of the Rules of the Road at Sea, in English. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Ditto ditto in Arabic. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Sanitary Primers in English and in Ben-gali. *Price, R6 per hundred, including transit and packing charges; single copies, 1 anna each.*

The Book named below having been de-clared a part of the obligatory equipment of Emigrant vessels, is now obtainable at the Bengal Secretariat Press at the price noted:—

West India Pilot, Vol. II R6 0 0

☞ *Cash must be sent with order.*

Apply to Accountant, Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

The 9th February 1883.—The subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette* will henceforward be at the following rates, payable in advance:—

For the Mofussil.

	R	a.	p.	
Entire Gazette . . .	15	0	0	per annum.
Postage . . .	5	0	0	"
Supplement	6	0	0	"
Postage . . .	3	0	0	"
Parts III, IV, V, and VI, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Councils of India and Bengal	5	0	0	"
Postage . . .	2	8	0	"

For a single copy—

Entire Gazette . . .	0	8	0	
Postage . . .	0	2	0	
Supplement . . .	0	4	0	
Postage . . .	0	1	0	
Parts III, IV, V, and VI	0	1	0	for 4 sheets or under with an additional charge of 1 anna for every 4 sheets in excess of 4.
Postage . . .	0	1	0	

For Calcutta.

The same rates as those for the mofussil, with the exception of the charge for postage.

E. N. BAKER,

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

On 28th June 1883, the Government Promissory Note, No. 163257, of the 4 per cent. of 1865, for R500, originally standing in the name of Kanye Lal Sein, and lastly blank endorsed by Prosad Das Boral, on 2nd June 1883, in favour of the undersigned proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

BUNKU LAL DHUR,
8, Roopchand Roy's Street.
Calcutta.

Lost or Destroyed.

The lower half of the Government Promissory Note No. 094817, of the 4 per cent. of 1865, for R3,500, originally standing in the name of the Officer in charge of the Treasury, Indore, and last endorsed to Resident, Gwalior, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietor.

SUPPLEMENT TO

The Gazette of India.

№ 29.] CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1883.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT *to the* GAZETTE OF INDIA *will be published from time to time, containing such Official Papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as may usefully be made known.*

Non-Subscribers to the GAZETTE *may receive the* SUPPLEMENT *separately on a payment of six Rupees per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or nine Rupees if sent by Post.*

No Official Orders or Notifications, the publication of which in the GAZETTE OF INDIA *is required by Law, or which it has been customary to publish in the* CALCUTTA GAZETTE, *will be included in the* SUPPLEMENT. *For such Orders and Notifications the body of the* GAZETTE *must be looked to.*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

[TELEGRAPH.]

ABSTRACT OF FOREIGN TRAFFIC FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1883.

CLASS OF MESSAGES.	ROUTE.																				TOTAL.	
	WEST.								EAST.													
	VIA TEHERAN.		VIA TURKEY.		PERSIAN GULF.		VIA SUEZ.		VIA AMUR.		VIA MADRAS.		VIA RANGOON.		NATIVE BURMA.		VIA PAUMBEN.			
	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.	No.	Indian Value.
INDIAN.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.		R a.
Sent	3,403	34,915 13	67	193 0	48	184 11	4,233	6,925 9	30	158 12	667	8,863 2	152	606 5	462	606 0	1,763	6,112 0	10,825	55,565 4
Received	2,383	12,085 11	96	307 10	52	200 2	4,335	16,124 9	42	112 11	660	1,917 7	177	486 2	...	...	1,667	3,148 14	9,412	34,683 2
TOTAL	5,786	47,001 8	163	500 10	100	384 13	8,568	23,350 2	72	271 7	1,327	10,780 9	329	1,092 7	462	606 0	3,430	6,260 14	20,237	90,248 6
TRANSIT.																				
From East to West—																				
Recd. Vid Madras	268	1,809 0	3	12 0	8	23 10	4,119	16,523 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,398	18,367 12
Recd. „ Rangoon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Recd. „ Lamgha	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Recd. „ Paumben	38	108 2	...	...	...	...	456	1,238 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	494	1,346 6
From West to East—																				
Sent. Vid Madras	920	4,026 11	84	251 10	2	1 2	3,088	11,038 14	6	27 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,100	16,846 1
Sent. „ Rangoon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sent. „ Lamgha	2	3 10	...	...	...	...	2	8 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	11 12
Sent. „ Paumben	87	321 11	5	15 5	...	...	242	799 9	1	1 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	335	1,136 8
From West to West—																				
Recd. Vid Bombay	2	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7 8
Sent. Vid Bombay	...	...	1	6 12	2	7 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13 14
From East to East—																				
Vid Paumben	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	333 8	1	1 8	...	...	...	...	92	335 0
„ Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	258 1	67	258 1
TOTAL	1,317	6,876 10	93	285 11	12	31 14	7,907	30,507 15	7	29 11	91	333 8	1	1 8	...	...	67	258 1	9,405	38,324 14
																		GRAND TOTAL	29,732	1,28,573 6

ABSTRACT OF FOREIGN TRAFFIC WITH INDIA BY THE INDO-EUROPEAN AND RED SEA ROUTES FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1883.

ROUTE.		Number of Messages by each Route (exclusive of Transit).			Percentage of Number.		
		To India.	From India.	TOTAL.	To India.	From India.	TOTAL.
INDO-EUROPEAN	Vid Teheran	2,383	3,403	5,786	34·71	43·90	39·58
	„ Turkey	96	67	163	1·40	0·87	1·12
	Persian Gulf vid Karachi	52	48	100	0·76	0·62	0·68
RED SEA	Vid Suez	4,335	4,233	8,568	63·13	54·61	58·62
	TOTAL	6,866	7,751	14,617	100·00	100·00	100·00

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

PLEMENT TO THE STATEMENT OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 1st HALF OF JUNE 1883, PUBLISHED IN PAGES 1312 AND 1313 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 14th JULY 1883.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice. Best sort.			Rice. Common.			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*.			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*.			Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavaru, Veragoo, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murhwa, Nuglee, &c.), *Panicum Miliaceum*, *Eleusine Coracana*, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt. Wholesale.			Salt. Retail.		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of last year.
	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
angalore	12 4	11 15	11 14	13 7	13 1	12 14	10 2	10 2	10 0	10 15	11 2	11 7	27 1	30 3	25 0	...	...	...	32 11	33 3	25 8	30 8	31 10	29 8	84 12	96 0	84 0	13 0	13 0	12 4	12 12	12 12	11 11*
olar	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	12 0	11 11	12 15	13 2	15 3	14 13	15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	37 2	37 2	31 0	33 0	37 0	31 6	172 6	172 6	172 6	13 8	13 8	12 4	13 3	13 3	12 0*
úmkúr	14 0	14 0	14 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	43 0	44 0	32 0	33 0	34 0	36 0	340 0	340 0	340 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	10 8†
ysore	11 0	11 12	11 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	12 4	10 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 0	25 0	19 0	32 0	32 0	27 0	78 0	78 0	72 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 0*
imoga	14 11	15 12	14 11	16 13	16 13	15 12	11 9	11 9	10 8	15 12	14 11	11 3	34 10	37 15	25 4	...	...	...	33 1	38 14	28 14	27 5	31 8	26 4	180 0	480 0	480 0	10 8	9 7	10 8	9 7	8 6	9 7*
adur	14 0	14 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	16 0	17 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	32 0	32 0	24 0	30 0	30 0	22 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0*
idore	14 12	13 10	14 2	...	...	...	9 3	9 6	8 9	10 0	10 0	10 0	17 12	17 12	20 0	18 7	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	17 6	17 7	18 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	11 6	12 0	11 0	10 14	11 6	10 0
walior	16 11	16 11	15 7	24 10	23 12	21 0	7 5	7 5	7 5	9 8	9 8	10 23	7	24 15	20 2	19 3	19 3	15 9	...	...	...	23 5	22 14	21 1	127 12	127 12	109 8	...	...	...	11 6	11 7	11 5
oona	24 8	24 0	21 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	10 0	10 8	9 8	10 8	11 0	10 0	32 0	33 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	31 8	30 0	24 3	320 0	280 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 8
aghelkhand (Sutna)	23 6	23 3	21 0	42 13	41 14	33 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	17 10	19 0	18 14	34 5	35 2	35 0	31 5	32 0	24 0	...	...	...	35 9	36 15	30 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 9	12 1	12 8	11 8	11 5	11 12

* Sea Salt. † Earth Salt.

ARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,

D. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXIII OF 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 17th June 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 16th June 1883. Total.	Per mile open.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 17th June 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 16th June 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
3rd June 1883	Eastern Bengal	172	72,879	424	207	82,003	396	7,86,497	410	10,01,726	440	2,15,229	...
3th ditto	Oudh and Rohilkhund	547	95,472	175	547	1,15,293	211	12,89,836	211	15,19,748	253	2,29,912	...
3rd ditto	Sind, Punjab & Delhi	676	2,19,338	324	748	3,05,349	408	21,88,843	290	27,08,997	333	5,20,154	...
3th ditto	Madras	858	1,43,798	168	861	1,28,113	149	15,43,575	162	14,50,767	153	...	92,808
3th ditto	South Indian	655	89,681	137	655	76,218	116	8,85,206	121	8,73,049	121	...	12,157
3rd ditto	Great Indian Peninsula	1,458	4,48,553	308	1,458	6,86,243	471	97,64,591	605	1,06,60,308	665	8,95,717	...
3th ditto	Bombay, Baroda and Central India	461	2,25,581	489	461	2,63,657	572	30,05,570	585	34,09,353	672	4,03,783	...
	TOTAL	4,827	12,95,302	268	4,937	16,56,906	336	1,94,64,118	363	2,16,23,948	399	21,59,830	...
	State.												
3rd June 1883	East Indian	1,507	8,78,760	583	1,509	11,04,475	732	1,00,51,512	598	1,18,13,336	712	17,6[illegible],824	...
th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern	33	2,313	70	56	5,780	103	36,670	113	65,618	117	28,948	...
rd ditto	Nalhati	27	1,305	48	27	1,724	64	15,661	52	18,497	62	2,836	...
th ditto	Northern Bengal	233	36,300	156	230	36,000	157	4,01,689	155	4,38,102	173	36,413	...
rd ditto	Tirhoot	85	11,111	131	166	17,783	107	1,51,002	160	1,97,278	110	46,276	...
th May 1883	Patna-Gya	57	9,282	163	...	(a)	...	(b)77,336	190	(c)78,420	197	1,084	...
rd June 1883	Muttra-Hathras	29	1,737	60	29	2,478	85	27,208	84	29,708	93	2,500	...
rd ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	6,096	70	87	7,464	86	73,765	76	74,990	78	1,225	...
rd ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	908	76	12	981	82	13,028	97	13,939	106	911	...
rd ditto	Rajputana-Malwa	1,117	2,22,255	199	1,117	2,74,250	246	25,31,827	204	30,80,551	251	5,48,724	...
rd ditto	Wardha Coal	45	7,671	170	45	10,546	234	1,48,797	297	1,80,595	365	31,798	...
rd ditto	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh	98	6,023	61	149	24,041	161	1,96,145	180	4,94,844	302	2,98,699	...
rd ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	161	23,662	147	161	20,981	130	3,86,936	216	3,72,144	210	...	14,792
rd ditto	Sindia	75	6,005	80	75	6,228	83	71,539	85	71,400	87	...	139
rd ditto	Punjab Northern	412	55,633	135	419	53,730	128	6,64,509	151	6,67,567	144	3,058	...
rd ditto	Indus Valley and Kandahar	660	81,601	124	660	2,17,073	329	9,06,669	123	17,70,190	244	8,63,491	...
rd ditto	Muttra-Achnera	23	1,187	51	23	1,210	52	13,698	53	17,362	69	3,664	...
th ditto	Kaunia-Dhurla	32	1,224	38	32	1,773	55	18,705	53	21,829	62	3,124	...
rd ditto	Rewari-Ferozepore	...	...	...	89	8,940	100	..		74,481	76	74,481	...
	TOTAL	3,186	4,74,313	149	3,377	6,90,982	205	57,35,211	162	76,67,515	203	19,32,301	...
	Native States.												
3th June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal	194	18,700	96	193	19,945	103	2,97,568	138	3,32,021	156	34,453	...
rd ditto	Nizam's	121	14,326	118	121	15,409	127	1,86,008	138	1,68,886	127	...	17,122
3th ditto	Mysore	86	4,046	47	86	4,960	58	54,986	57	55,626	59	640	...
rd ditto	Jodhpore	...	...	...	19	550	29	...	...	8,425	40	8,425	...
	TOTAL	401	37,072	92	419	40,864	98	5,38,562	120	5,64,958	123	26,396	...
	GRAND TOTAL	9,921	26,85,447	271	10,242	34,93,227	342	3,57,89,406	325	4,16,69,757	368	58,80,351	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,64,63,127	149	2,00,01,483	177	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,93,26,279	176	2,16,68,274	191	23,41,995	...

(a) Return not received. (b) Total receipts from 1st April to 20th May 1882. (c) Total receipts from 1st April to 19th May 1883.

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R.E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

SIMLA,
the 14th July 1883.

No. XXIV OF 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 24th June 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 23rd June 1883. Total.	Per mile open	Total receipts from 1st April to 24th June 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total receipts from 1st April to 23rd June 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84.
			R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
	Guaranteed.												
23rd June 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	83,381	185	207	82,768	400	8,69,878	416	10,84,494	437	2,14,616	...
23rd ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund.	547	79,069	145	547	1,12,378	205	13,68,905	206	16,32,126	249	2,63,221	...
23rd ditto .	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,81,789	269	748	3,14,892	421	23,70,632	289	30,18,970	340	6,48,338	...
23rd ditto .	Madras . . .	858	1,43,500	167	861	1,18,571	138	16,87,074	162	15,69,338	152	...	1,17,736
23rd ditto .	South Indian . .	655	81,435	124	655	76,422	117	9,66,641	122	9,50,038	121	...	16,603
30th ditto .	Great Indian Peninsula	1,458	5,35,053	367	1,458	5,35,628	367	1,02,99,643	585	1,11,88,162	639	8,88,519	...
23rd ditto .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . .	461	2,01,318	437	461	2,37,824	516	32,06,888	573	36,47,177	659	4,40,289	...
	TOTAL .	4,827	13,05,545	270	4,937	14,78,483	299	2,07,69,661	355	2,30,90,305	390	23,20,644	...
	State.												
30th June 1883	East Indian. . .	1,507	8,06,310	535	1,509	11,34,814	752	1,08,57,822	591	1,29,48,150	715	20,90,328	...
16th ditto .	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	33	7,486	227	...	(a)	...	(b)36,670	113	(c)65,618	177	28,948	...
30th ditto .	Nalhati . . .	27	1,166	54	27	1,551	57	17,127	52	20,048	62	2,921	...
16th ditto .	Northern Bengal. .	233	47,275	203	...	(a)	...	(b)4,01,689	155	(c)4,38,102	173	36,413	...
30th ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	8,144	96	166	5,919	36	1,59,146	154	2,03,292	104	44,146	...
26th May 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	7,867	138	...	(a)	...	(d)85,832	185	(e)86,503	190	671	...
30th June 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	1,498	52	29	2,335	81	28,707	81	32,044	92	3,337	...
30th ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	87	5,646	65	87	7,665	88	79,411	75	82,656	79	3,245	...
30th ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur.	12	820	68	12	910	76	13,848	95	14,874	103	1,026	...
30th	[illegible]	1,117	2,15,095	193	1,117	2,66,350	238	27,46,922	202	33,31,000	249	5,84,078	...
30th ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	215	1,58,109	289	1,90,654	353	32,545	...
30th ditto .	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh . . .	98	6,363	65	149	16,093	108	2,02,508	170	[illegible]	286	3,08,430	...
30th ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . . .	161	23,593	147	161	20,771	129	4,10,529	210	3,92,440	203	...	18,08
30th ditto .	Sindia. . . .	75	7,051	94	75	6,875	92	78,590	86	78,690	87	100	...
30th ditto .	Punjab Northern. .	412	55,556	135	419	56,153	135	7,20,065	150	7,24,020	143	3,955	...
30th ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . .	660	1,12,025	170	660	2,15,717	327	10,18,724	127	20,06,714	253	9,87,990	...
30th ditto .	Muttra-Achnera . .	23	1,268	55	23	1,136	49	14,966	54	18,492	67	3,526	...
30th ditto .	Kaunia-Dhurla . .	32	1,133	35	32	1,673	52	19,838	51	23,561	61	3,723	...
30th ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	7,070	79	...	...	76,322	71	76,322	...
	TOTAL .	3,186	5,11,598	161	3,091	6,20,181	201	61,92,681	161	82,95,968	202	21,03,287	...
	Native States.												
23rd June 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	194	15,125	78	193	14,823	77	3,12,694	133	3,51,424	152	38,730	...
23rd ditto .	Nizam's . . .	121	19,322	160	121	15,153	125	2,05,330	140	1,84,108	127	...	21,22
16th ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	5,266	61	...	(a)	...	(b)54,986	57	(c)55,626	59	640	...
30th ditto .	Jodhpore . . .	(f)3	(g)6	...	19	770	41	(g) 6	...	9,267	41	9,261	...
	TOTAL .	404	39,719	98	333	30,746	92	5,73,016	118	6,00,425	119	27,409	...
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,924	26,63,172	268	9,870	32,61,224	331	3,83,93,180	320	4,49,34,848	364	65,41,668	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,76,60,863	147	2,15,68,727	175	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS .	..	...	...	...	...	...	2,07,32,317	173	2,33,66,121	189	26,33,804	...

(a) Return not received.
(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 17th June 1882.
(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 16th June 1883.
(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 27th May 1882.
(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 26th May 1883.
(f) 19 miles opened on 24th June 1882.
(g) The receipts for one day ending 24th June 1882.

R. A. SARGEAUNT, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Under-Secretary.

SIMLA,
the 14th July 1883.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 18th July, 1883:—

No. 18 OF 1883.

THE BURMA LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL, 1883.

CONTENTS.

PREAMBLE.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

SECTIONS.

1. Short title.
   Local extent.
   Commencement.
2. Definitions.

CHAPTER II.

CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES.

3. Notification of intention to constitute municipality.
4. Notification constituting municipality.
5. Special power in respect of existing municipalities.
6. Obligation to bring existing municipalities under this Act.

CHAPTER III.

ORGANIZATION OF MUNICIPAL BOARDS.

Constitution of Boards.

7. Board to consist of elected and appointed members.

SECTIONS.

8. Power to Local Government to make rules regarding election.
9. Term of office of member of board.
10. Resignation of member of board.
11. Removal of member.
12. Member to vacate on appointment to salaried office.
13. Filling of casual vacancies.
14. Incorporation of municipal board.
15. Time for boards coming into existence.
16. Consequences of establishment of municipal board where municipal committee exists.

President and Vice-president.

17. Election of president and vice-president.
18. Term of office of president and vice-president.
19. Casual vacancies in office of president or vice-president.

Notification of elections, appointments and removals.

20. Notification of appointments, &c.

Joint Committees.

21. Joint committee of two or more boards.

Conduct of Business.

22. Time for holding meetings.
23. Ordinary and special meetings.
24. Quorum.
25. Chairman of meeting.
26. Vote of majority decisive.
27. Resolutions to be recorded and published.
28. Language of board.
29. Fees to members of boards.
30. Power to make rules as to conduct of business.

Officers and Servants.

31. Appointment of secretary.
32. Employment of other officers and servants.

Contracts and Transfers of Property.

33. Mode of executing contracts and transfers.

CHAPTER IV.

TAXATION AND FUNDS.

Taxation.

34. Taxes which may be imposed for general purposes of Act.

SECTIONS.

35. Procedure in imposing such taxes.
36. Power to impose lighting-rate and water-rate.
37. Power to abolish or reduce tax.
38. Power to make rules for assessment and collection of taxes.
39. Taxes leviable under Act VII of 1874 to be deemed taxes under this Act.

Municipal Fund.

40. Municipal fund constituted.
41. Application of municipal fund.

Lighting and Water-supply Funds.

42. Lighting and water-supply funds constituted.
43. Application of these funds.

Custody of, and Disbursements from, Funds.

44. Custody of, and disbursement from, funds.

CHAPTER V.

DUTIES OF MUNICIPAL BOARD.

General Improvement, Conservancy and Education.

45. Duties of municipal board generally.
46. Undertakings beyond municipal limits.
47. Grants-in-aid of schools.

Prevention of Nuisances.

48. Power of board to make rules regarding nuisances.
49. Power to prohibit commission, repetition or continuance of public nuisances.
50. Power as to conditional orders in respect of nuisances.
51. Delegation of powers as to nuisances.
52. Police to aid in carrying out orders regarding nuisances.

Additional Powers.

53. Power to make rules regulating other matters.

CHAPTER VI.

CONTROL.

54. Control by Commissioner and Magistrate.
55. Power to suspend action under Act.
56. Extraordinary powers of Magistrate in case of emergency.
57. Powers of Local Government in case of default of board.
58. Power of Local Government to supersede board in case of incompetency, persistent default or excess or abuse of powers.
59. Annual reports and statements to be submitted.
60. Annual estimates of receipts and expenditure.
61. Sanction to works.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTARY.

62. Penalty on member, officer or servant of board being interested in contract made with board.
63. Suits against boards and their officers and servants.
64. Liability of members for loss, waste or misapplication.
65. Power to vest property in board.
66. Acquisition of land under Act X of 1870.
67. Procedure for making rules under sections 8, 38, 47, 48 and 53.
68. Prosecutions.
69. Recovery of taxes.

Note.—"B. B." in the margin means the draft Bill submitted by the Chief Commissioner with his letter No. 387, dated 16th November, 1883.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-government in British Burma.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to local self-government in British Burma; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. *(1)* This Act may be called the Burma Local Self-government Act, 1883.

Local extent.

(2) It extends to the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma.

Commencement.

(3) And it shall come into force on the first day of November, 1883.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Municipality" means any local area constituted a municipality under Chapter II.

"Prescribed" means prescribed by rules made by the Local Government under this Act.

CHAPTER II.

CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES.

Notification of intention to constitute municipality.

3. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, declare its intention to constitute any town or group of towns, and any tract of country adjoining the same, a municipality under this Act: [B. B. ss. 6.] [Act VII 1874, ss. 3

Provided that a notification under this section shall not, without the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, comprise any military cantonment.

Notification constituting municipality.

4. *(1)* Any inhabitant of a local area in respect of which a notification has been published under section 3 may, if he objects to anything therein contained, submit his objection in writing to the Secretary to the Local Government within six weeks from the publication of the notification, and the Local Government shall take his objection into consideration. [B. B. s. Act VII 1874, s. 3.

(2) When six weeks from the publication of the notification have expired, and the Local Government has considered the objections (if any) which have been submitted under sub-section (1), the Local Government may, by like notification, constitute the local area a municipality.

Special power in respect of existing municipalities.

5. The Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, constitute any local area comprised in a municipality established under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, a municipality under this Act. VII of 18

Obligation to bring existing municipalities under this Act.

6. The Local Government shall, within three months from the date on which this Act comes into force, constitute the local area

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter III.—Organization of Municipal Boards.)

comprised in every municipality established under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, a municipality under this Act, unless before the expiration of that period— VII of 1874.

(*a*) it has been included in some local area which has been constituted a municipality under this Act; or

(*b*) the Local Government has declared, by a notification in the official Gazette, that it is unfit to be constituted a municipality under this Act.

CHAPTER III.

ORGANIZATION OF MUNICIPAL BOARDS.

Constitution of Boards.

[B. B. ss. 9, 10 & 15.] [Act VII of 1874 ss. 5 and 7.]

Board to consist of elected and appointed members.

7. There shall be established for each municipality a municipal board having authority over that municipality, and consisting of—

(*a*) so many inhabitants of the municipality as may, from time to time, be determined by the Local Government, elected in manner next hereinafter prescribed, to represent wards of the municipality or particular classes of the inhabitants; and

(*b*) such person or persons (if any) not exceeding in number one-fourth of the board, as the Local Government may, from time to time, appoint in this behalf:

Provided that the Local Government may appoint all the members of the board of any municipality for which it considers that a suitable system of election cannot be devised.

[B. B. s. 9.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 5.]

Power to Local Government to make rules regarding election.

8. *(1)* The Local Government, shall for every municipality in which a system of election is introduced, make rules regulating the following matters, namely:—

(a) the division of the municipality into wards, or of the inhabitants into classes, or both;

(b) the number of representatives proper for each ward or class;

(c) the qualifications of electors and of candidates for election;

(d) the registration of electors;

(e) the nomination of candidates, the time of election and the mode of recording votes; and

(f) any other matters relating to the system of representation and of election for which it may seem expedient to provide.

(2) The Local Government may, after the municipal board has come into existence as hereinafter provided, from time to time amend, after consulting the board, the rules made under this section, but any amendment made under this sub-section shall not take effect until six months after it has been published in the official Gazette.

(3) Elective members of the board shall be elected in accordance with the rules made under this section and for the time being in force.

[B. B. s. 9.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 5.]

Term of office of member of board.

9. *(1)* The term of office of a member of a municipal board shall, subject to the provisions of sections 10, 11 and 12, be two years.

(2) An outgoing member shall, if otherwise qualified, be again eligible for election or appointment.

Resignation of member of board.

10. A member of a municipal board may resign by notifying in writing to the Local Government his intention to do so, and, on his resignation being accepted by the Local Government, he shall be deemed to have vacated his office. [B. B. s. 1 Act VII 1874, s. 6.]

Removal of member.

11. The Local Government may, from time to time, remove any member of a municipal board who ceases to reside within the limits of the municipality, or refuses to act, or becomes incapable of acting, or is declared an insolvent, or is convicted of any such offence, or subjected by a Criminal Court to any such order, as implies, in the opinion of the Local Government, a defect of character which unfits him to be a member, or who without sufficient excuse neglects for more than six consecutive months to be present at the meetings of the board. [B. B. s. 1 Act VII 1874, s. 6.]

Member to vacate on appointment to salaried office.

12. If any member of a municipal board is appointed to a salaried office under the board, he shall forthwith cease to be a member: [B. B. s.

Provided that—

(*a*) if the board allots a salary to its president or vice-president, he shall not for that reason cease to be a member; and

(*b*) fees allowed under section 29 to members of a board shall not be deemed to be a salary within the meaning of this section.

Filling of casual vacancies.

13. *(1)* When the place of an elected member of a municipal board becomes vacant by the resignation or removal of the member under section 10 or section 11, or by reason of his appointment to a salaried office under section 12, or by his death, a new member shall be elected in manner prescribed to fill the place. [B. B. s. Act VII 1874, s. 5

(2) When the place of an appointed member of a municipal board becomes vacant as aforesaid, the Local Government may, if it thinks fit, appoint a new member to fill the place.

(3) A person elected or appointed under this section to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the person whose place he fills would regularly have gone out of office, and shall then go out of office, but shall be again eligible for election or appointment.

Incorporation of municipal board.

14. Every municipal board shall be a body corporate by the name of the municipal board of its municipality, shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, with power, subject to the provisions of this Act, to acquire and hold property, both moveable and immoveable, and to transfer any property held by it, and to contract and to do all other things necessary for the purposes of its constitution, and may sue and be sued in its corporate name: [Act VI 1874, s.

Provided that a board shall not purchase or transfer any immoveable property except in pursuance of a resolution passed at a special meeting and approved by the Local Government. [B. B. s.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter III.—Organization of Municipal Boards.)

Time for boards coming into existence.

15. A municipal board shall come into existence at such time as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

Consequences of establishment of municipal board where municipal committee exists.

16. When a municipal board comes into existence under section 15 for a municipality constituted under this Act, and that municipality comprises within its limits a local area which is a municipality under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, the following consequences shall ensue, namely :— [f 1874.

(a) the said Act shall cease to apply to the local area ;

(b) the municipal committee (if any) constituted under that Act for the local area shall cease to exist ;

[s 38.] VII of s. 26.] *(c)* all property vested in that committee shall vest in the municipal board for the purposes of this Act, subject to all rights (if any) existing over, and all debts, liabilities and obligations (if any) affecting, that property ;

(d) every contract entered into by the committee may be enforced by and against the board in like manner as it might have been enforced by and against the committee if this Act had not been passed ;

(e) a Government officer employed by the committee at the time the board comes into existence shall be deemed to be similarly employed by the board, and shall not be dismissed from that employment without the sanction of the Local Government.

President and Vice-president.

[s. 16.] VII of s. 8.] Election of president and vice-president.

17. A municipal board shall, from time to time, at a special meeting, elect one of its members to be president, and may, from time to time, at a like meeting, elect another of its members to be vice-president :

Provided that in such municipalities, if any, as the Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, exempt from the operation of this section, the president shall, from time to time, be appointed by the Local Government.

Term of office of president and vice-president.

18. A president or vice-president shall hold office for one year, and on the expiration of that period may be again elected or appointed.

] Casual vacancies in office of president or vice-president.

19. *(1)* If a president elected by the board or a vice-president dies, ceases to be a member of the board, resigns his office or becomes incapable of acting, the board shall, at a special meeting, elect another of its members to be president or vice-president.

(2) If a president appointed by the Local Government dies, resigns his office or becomes incapable of acting, the Local Government shall appoint another president.

(3) A person elected or appointed under this section to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the person whose place he fills would regularly have gone out of office, and shall then go out of

Notification of elections, appointments and removals.

Notification of appointments, &c.

20. All elections or appointments of presidents and vice-presidents, and all elections, appointments and removals of members of municipal boards, shall be notified in the local official Gazette. [B. B. s. 16.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 8.]

Joint Committees.

Joint committee of two or more boards.

21. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, concur with any other municipal board, or with more than one such board, in appointing, out of their respective bodies, a joint committee for any purpose in which they are jointly interested, and in appointing a chairman of the committee, and in delegating to any such committee any power which might be exercised by either or any of the boards, and in framing and modifying regulations as to the proceedings of any such committee, and as to the conduct of correspondence relating to the purpose for which the committee is appointed. [New.]

(2) If any difference of opinion arises between boards acting under this section, the decision thereon of the Commissioner of the division if the areas under the authority of the boards are in the same division, or of the Local Government if those areas are in different divisions, shall be final.

Conduct of Business.

Time for holding meetings.

22. *(1)* A municipal board shall meet for the transaction of business at least once in every month, on such day as may, from time to time, be fixed by the rules made under section 30. [B. B. ss. 17 & 18 (*d*).] [Act VII of 1874, ss. 9 & 10.]

(2) The president, or, in his absence, the vice-president, may, whenever he thinks fit, and shall, on a requisition made in writing by not less than one-third of the members of the board, convene a meeting at any other time.

Ordinary and special meetings.

23. *(1)* A meeting of a municipal board shall be either ordinary or special. [B. B. s. 18 (*c*) & (*g*).] [Act VII of 1874, s. 10.]

(2) Any business may be transacted at an ordinary meeting unless it is required by this Act or the rules made under this Act to be transacted at a special meeting.

Quorum.

24. *(1)* The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at a special meeting of a municipal board shall be one-half of the whole board : [B. B. s. 18 (*f*).] [Act VII of 1874, s. 10.]

Provided that, when the board consists of less than six members, the quorum shall be three.

(2) The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at an ordinary meeting of a municipal board shall be such number, not less than three, as may, from time to time, be fixed by the rules made under section 30 :

Provided that, if at any meeting of the board a quorum is not present, the chairman shall adjourn the meeting to such other day as he thinks fit, and the business which would have been brought before the original meeting if there had been a quorum present shall be brought before and transacted by the adjourned meeting whether there is a quorum present thereat or not. [Bombay Act III of 1872, s. 14.]

Chairman of meeting.

25. *(1)* At every meeting of a municipal board the president, if present, shall preside as chairman. [B. B. s. 18 (*a*) & (*b*).] [Act VII of 1875, s. 10.]

(2) If, when any meeting is held, the office of

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter III.—Organization of Municipal Boards.)

the meeting and the vice-president is present, he shall preside as chairman.

(3) In any case not provided for in the foregoing portion of this section, the members present shall elect one of their number to be chairman of the meeting.

[B. B. s. 18 (h) (i).] [Act VII of 1874, s. 10.]

Vote of majority decisive.

26. *(1)* Except as otherwise provided by this Act or by any rule made under this Act, all questions coming before any meeting of a municipal board shall be decided by a majority of the votes of the members present.

(2) In case of an equality of votes, the chairman at the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.

[B. B. s. 18 (j).] [Act VII of 1874, s. 10.]

Resolutions to be recorded and published.

27. Every resolution passed by a municipal board at a meeting shall be recorded in a book kept for the purpose, shall be signed by the chairman of the meeting or of the next ensuing meeting, and shall be published in some local English or Vernacular newspaper, or in such other manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct.

[B. B. s. 18 (k).]

Language of board.

28. The discussions and proceedings of a municipal board shall be conducted and recorded either in English or in Burmese, as the board at a special meeting may, from time to time, decide:

Provided that, if the discussions and proceedings are conducted and recorded in English, the board shall provide for interpreting and translating them into Burmese for the benefit of members who do not understand English.

[B. B. s. 47.]

Fees to members of boards.

29. A municipal board may, if it thinks fit, allow to each member thereof for attendance at meetings of the board, or at meetings of committees of the board, fees to such amount and subject to such conditions as the Local Government may, from time to time, approve:

Provided as follows—

(1) the fees paid under this section shall not exceed ten rupees for each attendance; and

[B. B. ss. 28 & 31] [Act VII of 1874, ss. 17 and 18.]

(2) no fee shall be paid under this section to a member who is a servant of Government on active duty and in receipt of a salary exceeding Rs. 3,000 a year.

[B.B.s.18 (c).]

Power to make rules as to conduct of business.

30. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules consistent with this Act and any rules made under this Act by the Local Government as to—

(a) the time and place of its meetings;

[B. B. s. 29.]

(b) the manner in which notice thereof is to be given;

(c) the quorum necessary for the transaction of business at ordinary meetings;

(d) the conduct of proceedings at meetings, and the adjournment of meetings;

(e) the appointment of committees of the board, and the division of duties among them and individual members of the board;

(f) the persons by whom receipts may be granted on behalf of the board for money paid under this Act; and

(g) any other similar matters.

(2) A rule made under this section shall not take effect until it has been confirmed by the Local Government and published in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct. [B. B. s. 16. [Act VII of 1874, s. 8.]

Officers and Servants.

Appointment of secretary.

31. *(1)* A municipal board shall, from time to time, at a special meeting, appoint one of its members, or some other person, to be its secretary, and may at a like meeting remove any person so appointed. [New.]

(2) If a secretary is a member of the board, he shall receive no remuneration in respect of his services. If he is not a member of the board, the board may, with the previous sanction of the Commissioner, assign to him any such pay, leave-allowance, gratuity or pension as it thinks fit. [B. B. ss. 28 29.]

Employment of other officers and servants.

32. *(1)* Subject to the other provisions of this Act, and to such rules as the Local Government may, from time to time, make prescribing the qualifications requisite in the case of persons appointed to offices requiring professional skill, a municipal board may employ, in addition to its secretary, such other officers and servants as may be necessary or proper for the efficient execution of its duties, and may assign to those officers and servants such pay, leave-allowances, gratuities or pensions as it thinks fit.

(2) In the case of an officer whose services are lent wholly or in part by the Government, the board may contribute to any leave-allowance, gratuity or pension to which he may become entitled in accordance with the rules for the time being in force.

Contracts and Transfers of Property.

Mode of executing contracts and transfers.

33. *(1)* When a contract made by or on behalf of a municipal board exceeds in value or amount one hundred rupees, it must be in writing, and must be signed by the president or vice-president, and at least one other member of the board. [B. B. ss & 48.] [Act VI 1874, ss. 2 31.]

(2) A transfer of immoveable property belonging to the board must be made by an instrument in writing, executed by the president and vice-president and by at least two members of the board.

(3) If any such contract or transfer is executed or made otherwise than in conformity with the provisions of this section, it shall not be binding on the board.

CHAPTER IV.

TAXATION AND FUNDS.

Taxation.

Taxes which may be imposed for general purposes of Act.

34. Subject to any general rules or special orders which the Governor General in Council may, from time to time, make in this behalf, a municipal board may, for the general purposes of this Act, impose, with the sanction hereinafter specified in each case, and in manner prescribed by section 35, any of the following taxes, namely:— [B. B. s. Act VI 1874, ss. 12.]

(1) with the previous sanction of the Local Government—

(a) a tax on houses, buildings and lands situate within the municipality or any part thereof, not exceeding five per centum of the annual value of the houses, buildings and lands;

(*b*) a tax on lands covered by buildings and situate as aforesaid, at a rate not exceeding one pie per square foot per annum;

(*c*) a tax on houses situate as aforesaid according to the number of posts in each, at rates not exceeding the following, namely :—

	Rs. A.	
For a house having not more than 2 posts ...	0 8	per annum.
For a house having not more than 3 posts ..	1 8	"
For a house having not more than 4 posts ...	2 8	"
For a house having not more than 5 posts ...	4 0	"
For a house having not more than 6 posts ...	7 0	"
For a house having not more than 7 posts ...	10 0	"

and when a house has more than seven posts, four rupees eight annas additional per annum for each post above seven :

(*d*) a tax on carriages, carts, boats, horses, ponies and elephants, or any of them, throughout the municipality or any part thereof :

(2) with the previous sanction of the Local Government and of the Governor General in Council, any other tax:

Provided as follows :—

(1) only one of the taxes mentioned in clauses *(a)*, *(b)* and *(c)* shall be imposed in respect of the same property, and

(2) in assessing a house to the tax mentioned in clause *(c)*, only posts facing a road or street shall be counted, except in the case of bázárs or large buildings extending through from street to street, in which case the posts contained in one row, measured lengthwise, shall be counted.

, B. s. 20.] ct VII of 74, s. 11.]

Procedure in imposing such taxes.

35. *(1)* A municipal board may resolve, at a special meeting, to propose the imposition of any tax for the purposes of this Act.

(2) When a resolution has been passed under sub-section (1), the board shall publish a notice defining the persons or property proposed to be taxed, the amount or rate of the tax to be imposed, and the system of assessment to be adopted.

(3) Any person likely to be directly affected by the proposed tax, and objecting to the same, may, within a fortnight from the publication of the notice, submit his objection in writing to the board, and the board shall, at a special meeting, take his objection into consideration.

(4) If no objection is submitted within the said period of a fortnight, or if the objections received, having been considered as aforesaid, are deemed insufficient, the board may submit its proposals to the Local Government, with the objections (if any) which have been sent in under sub-section (3).

(5) The Local Government, on receiving proposals under sub-section (4), may sanction the same, or refuse to sanction them, or return them to the board for further consideration.

(6) When the Local Government sanctions under sub-section (5) any proposals which, under section 34, sub-section (2), require the further sanction of the Governor General in Council, it shall submit those proposals to the Governor General in Council with the objections (if any) received through the board; and the Governor General in Council may sanction the proposals, or refuse to sanction the same, or return them to the Local Government for further consideration.

(7) When the proposals of a municipal board in respect of a tax have been sanctioned by the Local Government, or by the Local Government and the Governor General in Council, as the case may be, the board may, at a special meeting, direct the imposition of the tax in accordance with those proposals.

Power to impose lighting-rate and water-rate.

[B. B. s. 22. [Act VII o 1874, s. 13.]

36. *(1)* To provide for the lighting of the public streets, a municipal board may, under a resolution passed at a special meeting and sanctioned by the Local Government, impose, in addition to any taxes imposed under the foregoing sections, an annual lighting-rate on all houses, buildings and lands situate in the municipality or any part thereof not exceeding two per centum of their annual value.

(2) To provide for the supply of water, a municipal board may, under a resolution passed and sanctioned as aforesaid, impose, in addition to any taxes imposed as aforesaid, an annual rate on all houses and buildings situate in the municipality or any part thereof not exceeding two per cent. of their annual value.

(3) It shall be at the option of the board, when either of the rates mentioned in this section has been imposed, to levy in lieu thereof on any native house an annual rate not exceeding one pie for every three square feet of the ground covered by the house.

(4) Every tax leviable under this section in respect of any house, building or land shall be payable by the occupier of the same.

Power to abolish or reduce tax.

[B. B. s. 20 [Act VII o 1874, ss. 1 & 25.]

37. A municipal board, by a resolution passed at a special meeting and confirmed by the Local Government, or the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may abolish or reduce any tax imposed under the foregoing sections.

Power to make rules for assessment and collection of taxes.

[B. B. s. 2 [Act VII 1874, s. 14.]

38. The Local Government may, from time to time, make rules for the assessment and collection of taxes leviable under this Act :

Provided that, in the case of a tax imposed under section 35, every such rule shall be consistent with the proposals sanctioned in respect of the tax under that section.

Taxes leviable under Act VII of 1874 to be deemed to be taxes under this Act.

VII of 187

39. All taxes leviable in any local area under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, at the time when a municipal board having authority over that local area comes into existence under this Act, shall be deemed to have been imposed and assessed under this Act.

Municipal Fund.

B. ss. 39, 42.] Act VII of 1874, s. 7.]

40. There shall be formed for each municipality a municipal fund, and there shall be credited thereto—

Municipal fund constituted.

(*a*) the proceeds of all taxes levied under this Act and all other money received by the board under this Act, except the proceeds of taxes levied under section 36;

(*b*) the proceeds of the cesses and tax levied on lands and houses in the municipality under sections 4, 5 and 6 of the Burma District Cesses and Rural Police Act, 1880, except such portions of those proceeds as may, under section 9 of that Act, be appropriated by the Local Government for the maintenance of rural police or for the maintenance of a local postal service;

of 1880.

(*c*) the surplus accruing in the municipality under section 18 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871;

1871.

(*d*) the income yielded by any public ferries in the municipality, and, in the case of a ferry on a river forming the boundary of a municipality, such share (if any) of the income of the ferry as the Local Government may assign in this behalf;

; VII of 1874, s. 28.]

(*e*) any sums which the Local Government may annually assign, as it is hereby empowered to do, to the municipal fund from the port fund of any port abutting on or within the municipality as being in its opinion a just and reasonable contribution towards the expenditure rendered necessary by the visits to the municipality of seamen from ships lying in the port;

(*f*) all rents and profits accruing from property belonging to or managed by the board;

(*g*) all sums contributed to the fund by the Local Government or by private persons; and

(*h*) when there has been included within the municipality a municipality constituted under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, the balance (if any) standing at the credit of the municipal fund of that municipality at the time when the municipal board came into existence.

of 1874.

41. The municipal fund shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be applicable at the discretion of the municipal board to all the purposes of this Act within the limits of the municipalty, and, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, to like purposes beyond those limits when such application of the fund is for the benefit of the inhabitants of the municipality.

Application of municipal fund.

Lighting and Water-supply Funds.

B. s. 39.] Act VII of 1874, s. 27.]

42. In every municipality in which a tax is levied under section 36 for the purposes of lighting or water-supply, there shall be established a separate fund to be called the lighting fund or water-supply fund, as the case may be, and there shall be credited to it the proceeds of that tax, all other sums received by the board in connection with the purposes for which the tax is levied, and, when there has been included within the limits of the municipality a municipality constituted under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, in which a like tax has been levied, the balance (if any) standing to the credit of the separate account of that tax at the time when the municipal board comes into existence.

Lighting and water-supply funds constituted.

Act VII of 1874.

43. The lighting fund or water-supply fund shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be applicable at the discretion of the municipal board to the lighting of, or supply of water to, the local area in which it is raised (as the case may be), and to no other purpose.

Application of these funds.

[B. B. s. 39.]

Custody of, and Disbursements from, Funds.

44. (*1*) The balances standing to the credit of the funds established under sections 10 and 42 shall, if there is a Government treasury or sub-treasury situate within the municipality, be kept in that treasury or sub-treasury. In any other case, the bulk of the funds shall be kept in the nearest Government treasury or sub-treasury, and such funds as may be required for current expenditure shall be kept by the board in a strong box in such place and under such precautions as the board may, from time to time, direct.

Custody of, and disbursements from, funds.

[B. B. s. 43.] Act VII of 1874, s. 29.]

(*2*) No disbursement of such funds or any part thereof shall be made except under the signature of the president or vice-president and one other member of the board.

CHAPTER V.

Duties of Municipal Board.

General Improvement, Conservancy and Education.

45. The following matters shall, subject to the provisions of this Act and to such exceptions or conditions as the Local Government may, from time to time, make or impose, be under the control and administration of the municipal board within the municipality, namely:—

Duties of municipal board generally.

[B. B. ss. 5 40, 44 & 45.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 30.]

(*a*) the construction, repair and maintenance of roads, streets, river-channels, ferries and other means of communication, and of drains, tanks and water-courses;

(*b*) the establishment, maintenance and administration of schools, hospitals, dispensaries, markets, wharves and resthouses, and the construction and repair of buildings connected with such institutions;

(*c*) the improvement, extension and purification of the local supply of drinking-water for men and animals;

(*d*) the planting and preservation of trees on public ground;

(*e*) the cleansing, watering and lighting of the streets in towns;

(*f*) the maintenance, repair and management of any buildings or other immoveable property vested in the board under this Act or made over to the board by the Local Government for management; and

[B. B. s. 38.]

(*g*) the construction, establishment, maintenance and carrying out of any other local works, institutions or measures likely to promote the health, safety, comfort or convenience of the public.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter V.—Duties of Municipal Board.)

ss. 40 **46.** A municipal board may, from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, undertake beyond the limits of the municipality the control and administration of any of the matters mentioned in section 45, if its undertaking that control and administration is for the benefit of the inhabitants of the municipality.

Undertakings beyond municipal limits.

, B. s. 46.] **47.** A municipal board shall, so far as its funds available for educational purposes permit, make grants-in-aid of schools in accordance with such rules as the Local Government, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, from time to time, prescribe.

Grants-in-aid of schools.

Prevention of Nuisances.

B. ss. 30 & 32.] t VII of 4, ss. 19, 20 1.] **48.** *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules—

Power of board to make rules regarding nuisances.

(a) declaring that such acts or omissions within the municipality as may in its opinion cause or tend to cause any common injury, danger or annoyance to the public, or to people in general who dwell or occupy property in the vicinity, or any injury, obstruction, danger or annoyance to persons who may have occasion to use any public right, shall be deemed, within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code and for the purposes of this Act, to be public nuisances; and

V of 1860.

(b) defining the cases, manner and times in and at which officers of the board may enter on private property for the detection and abatement of public nuisances.

(2) A rule made under this section shall not come into force until it has been confirmed by the Local Government and published for such time and in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, prescribe in this behalf.

B., s. 33.] , VII of), s. 22.] **49.** *(1)* Subject to any orders which the Local Government may, from time to time, make in this behalf, a municipal board may order any person not to do, or not to omit to do, within the municipality, anything the doing of, or omission to do, which is a public nuisance.

Power to prohibit commission, repetition or continuance of public nuisances.

(2) An order under this section shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of section 291 of the Indian Penal Code, an injunction by a public servant.

of 1860.

B., s. 31.] VII of , s. 23.] **50.** *(1)* The Local Government may invest, within the limits of the municipality, a municipal board with the powers of a Magistrate of a district as described in section one hundred and thirty-three of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and with powers to make conditional orders of the nature referred to in that section, in respect of all or any of the acts or omissions which may have been declared to be public nuisances under clause *(a)* of section 48 of this Act.

Power as to conditional orders in respect of nuisances.

of 1882.

(2) Sections one hundred and thirty-three to one hundred and forty-two (both inclusive) of the Code of Criminal Procedure shall, so far as they can be made applicable, apply to all proceedings taken in exercise of those powers.

f 1882.

(3) The Local Government may, whenever it thinks fit, withdraw the powers with which it has invested a board under this section.

51. A municipal board may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, at a special meeting, delegate to one or more committees of its members, or to one or more of its members, any of the powers vested in the board by section 49, or with which the board may have been invested under section 50. [B. B., s. 3

Delegation of powers as to nuisances.

52. Every police-officer in a municipality shall be bound, subject to such instructions as may, from time to time, be issued by the Inspector-General of Police in this behalf, to assist in the prevention of any public nuisance defined to be such by any rule made under this Act.

Police to aid in carrying out orders regarding nuisances.

Additional Powers.

53. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules— [B. B. ss. 2 30, 31, 32 an 21 *(f)*.] [Act VII c 1874, s. 16.]

Power to make rules regulating other matters.

(a) rendering licenses necessary for the proprietors or drivers of carriages, carts or boats plying for hire within the limits of the municipality, and fixing the fees payable for such licenses and the conditions on which they are to be granted and may be revoked;

(b) for regulating markets, wharves and slaughter-houses within the limits of the municipality, and rendering licenses necessary for the construction or establishment within those limits of new markets, wharves and slaughter-houses, or the keeping of lodging-houses within those limits for the accommodation of persons not being natives of British Burma, and for the holding or keeping open of markets, wharves and slaughter-houses constructed or established within those limits after the date on which this Act or the British Burma Municipal Act, 1871, came into force therein, and fixing the fees payable for such licenses and the conditions on which they are to be granted and may be revoked;

VII of 1874.

(c) for securing a proper registration of births, marriages and deaths occurring within the municipality; and

(d) generally for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

(2) In making any rule under this section, a municipal board may direct that a breach of it shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, when the breach is a continuing one, with a further fine of five rupees for every day after the first during which the breach continues. [B. B. s. 6 [Act VII 1874, s. 48.]

(3) A rule made under this section shall not come into force until it has been confirmed by the Local Government, and published for such time and in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, prescribe in this behalf.

(4) Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing portion of this section, the municipal board of a municipality in which the Hackney Carriage Act, 1879, is in force shall not make rules under sub-section (1) with respect to [illegible] XIV o

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter VI.—Control.)

CHAPTER VI.

CONTROL.

Control by Commissioner and Magistrate.

54. *(1)* The Commissioner of the division or the Magistrate of the district may—

(a) enter on and inspect, or cause to be entered on and inspected, any immoveable property within the limits of the division or district respectively occupied by any municipal board or joint committee, or any work in progress within those limits under the direction of any such board or committee;

(b) call for and inspect any book or document in the possession or under the control of any such board or committee having authority within those limits;

(c) require any such board or committee to furnish such statements, accounts, reports and copies of documents relating to the proceedings or duties of the board or committee, as he may think fit to call for; and

(d) record in writing, for the consideration of any such board or committee, any observations he may think proper in regard to the proceedings or duties of the board or committee.

(2) When the Magistrate of the district is a member of a board or joint committee, he shall not exercise, in respect of that board or committee, the powers conferred upon him by sub-section (1).

Power to suspend action under Act.

55. *(1)* The Commissioner of the division or the Magistrate of the district may, by order in writing, suspend within the limits of the division or district (as the case may be) the execution of any resolution or order of a municipal board or joint committee, or prohibit the doing within those limits of any act which is about to be done, or is being done, in pursuance of or under cover of this Act, if, in his opinion, the resolution, order or act is in excess of the powers conferred by law, or the execution of the resolution or order, or the doing of the act, is likely to lead to a serious breach of the peace, or to cause serious injury or annoyance to the public or to any class or body of persons.

(2) When a Commissioner or Magistrate makes any order under this section, he shall forthwith forward a copy thereof, with a statement of his reasons for making it, to the Local Government, which may thereupon rescind the order or direct that it continue in force with or without modification, permanently or for such period as it thinks fit.

Extraordinary powers of Magistrate in case of emergency.

56. *(1)* In cases of emergency, the Magistrate of the district may provide for the execution of any work, or the doing of any act, which a municipal board is empowered to execute or do, and the immediate execution or doing of which is in his opinion necessary for the service or safety of the public, and may direct that the expense of executing the work or doing the act shall be forthwith paid by the board.

(2) If the expense is not so paid, the Magistrate of the district may make an order directing the person having the custody of the balances of the board's funds to pay the expense, or as much thereof as is, from time to time, possible, from the appropriate balance in priority to any or all other charges against the same.

(3) The Magistrate of the district shall forthwith report to the Commissioner every case in which he uses the powers conferred upon him by this section.

Powers of Local Government in case of default of board.

57. *(1)* If at any time it appears to the Local Government that a municipal board has made default in performing any duty imposed on it by or under this or any other Act for the time being in force, the Local Government may, by order in writing, fix a period for the performance of that duty.

(2) If that duty is not performed within the period so fixed, the Local Government may appoint the Magistrate of the district to perform it, and may direct that the expense of performing it shall be paid, within such time as it may fix, to the Magistrate by the board.

(3) If the expense is not so paid, the Magistrate, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, may make an order directing the person having the custody of the balances of the board's funds to pay the expense, or so much thereof as is from time to time possible, from the balance of the appropriate fund in priority to any or all other charges against the same.

Power of Local Government to supersede board in case of incompetency, persistent default or excess or abuse of powers.

58. *(1)* If a municipal board is not competent to perform, or persistently makes default in the performance of, the duties imposed on it by or under this or any other Act for the time being in force, or exceeds or abuses its powers, the Local Government may, with the previous approval of the Governor General in Council, by an order published, with the reasons for making it, in the local official Gazette, declare that board to be incompetent or in default or to have exceeded or abused its powers, as the case may be, and supersede it for a period to be specified in the order.

(2) When a board is so superseded, the following consequences shall ensue:—

(a) All members of the board shall, as from the date of the order, vacate their offices as such members.

(b) All powers and duties of the board may, during the period of supersession, be exercised and performed by such person or persons as the Local Government, from time to time, appoints in that behalf.

(c) All property vested in the board shall, during the period of supersession, vest in the Local Government.

(3) On the expiration of the period of supersession specified in the order, the board shall be reconstituted, and the persons who vacated their offices under clause *(a)* shall not be deemed disqualified from being members.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter VII.—Supplementary.)

59. *(1)* A municipal board shall, at the close of each year or of such other period as may, from time to time, be fixed by the Local Government in this behalf, submit to the Local Government a statement of its receipts and disbursements, and a report of all works executed, or proceedings taken, by it under this Act during that period.

Annual reports and statements to be submitted.

(2) Accounts submitted under this section shall be examined or audited in such manner as the Local Government, from time to time, prescribes.

60. *(1)* A municipal board shall submit, before such dates in each year and in such form as may be directed by the Local Government, an estimate of its probable receipts for the financial year next following, with proposals for its expenditure.

Annual estimates of receipts and expenditure.

(2) An abstract of the estimate and proposals shall, on being so submitted, be published in such manner as the Local Government, from time to time, directs.

61. *(1)* No new work, the estimated cost of which exceeds five hundred rupees, shall be begun by a municipal board, nor shall any contract be entered into by it in respect of any such work, until a plan and estimate thereof has been approved by the board at a meeting.

Sanction to works.

(2) If the estimated cost of any such new work exceeds—

twenty thousand rupees in the case of the municipalities of Rangoon, Maulmain, Bassein, and Akyab, or

ten thousand rupees in the case of any other municipality,

it shall not be begun, nor shall any contract be entered into in respect of it, until the plan and estimate have been submitted to the Local Government, and sanctioned by it in an order published in the official Gazette.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTARY.

62. If any member, officer or servant of a board is, otherwise than with the permission in writing of the Commissioner of the division, directly or indirectly interested in any contract made with the board, he shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section one hundred and sixty-eight of the Indian Penal Code :

Penalty on member, officer or servant of board being interested in contract made with board.

Provided that no person shall, by reason of being a shareholder in, or member of, any incorporated or registered company, be held to be interested in any contract entered into between such company and the board.

63. In respect of every suit instituted against a municipal board, or against any officer or servant of the board in respect of an act purporting to be done by him in his official capacity, the board, officer or servant shall have, as nearly as may be, all the privileges which the Secretary of State for India in Council or a public officer respectively has under Chapter XXVII of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Suits against boards and their officers and

XIV of 18

64. Every member of a municipal board shall be liable for the loss, waste or misapplication of any money or other property belonging to the board, if the loss, waste or misapplication is a direct consequence of his neglect or misconduct, and a suit for compensation may be instituted against him by the board or by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

Liability of members for loss, waste or misapplication.

[B. B. s. 5
[Act VII
1874 s. 39.

65. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, direct that any property, moveable or immoveable, which is vested in Her Majesty and is situate in the territories administered by the Local Government, shall vest in any municipal board ; and thereupon the property shall vest in that board for the purposes of this Act, subject to all rights (if any) existing over, and all debts, liabilities and obligations (if any) affecting, the property.

Power to vest property in board.

[B. B. s. 8

66. Where any land whether within or without the limits of a municipality is required for the purposes of a municipal board, the Local Government may, at the request of the municipal board, proceed to acquire it under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1870 ; and, on payment by the board of the compensation awarded under that Act, the land shall vest in the board.

Acquisition of land under Act X of 1870.

[B. B. s. 52
[Act VII c
1874, s. 36.]

X of 1870

67. *(1)* The authority empowered to make rules under sections 8, 38, 47, 48 and 53 shall, before making them, publish, in such manner as may in its opinion be sufficient for giving information to persons interested, a draft of the proposed rules, together with a notice specifying a date at or after which the draft will be taken into consideration; and shall, before making the rules, receive and consider any objection or suggestion which may be made by any person with respect to the draft before the date so specified.

Procedure for making rules under sections 8, 38, 47, 48 and 53.

(2) Every rule made under any of those sections shall be published in the local official Gazette in English and in such other language or languages as the Local Government may direct; and such publication shall be conclusive evidence that the rule has been made as required by this section.

68. Prosecutions under this Act for infringement of rules may be instituted by the municipal board, or any person authorised by it in this behalf, and not otherwise.

Prosecutions.

[B. B.
[Act V
1874, s.

69. All fees and all rents and other sums due on account of property for the time being vested in or managed by the municipal board, and all arrears of taxes imposed under this Act, may be recovered as if they were arrears of land revenue.

Recovery of taxes.

[B. B.
[Act V
1874, s.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE Government of India has for some time had under consideration the question of amending the law relating to municipalities in British Burma, so as to bring it more completely into harmony with the principles of local self-government which have recently been laid down by the Government of India, and are now being generally adopted in other Provinces.

2. The present Bill has been prepared for the purpose of making such amendments in the existing Municipal Act (VII of 1874) as are needed, in order to give effect to this object. It has been thought convenient that it should repeal the existing Act, and the opportunity has been taken to introduce many improvements in matters of minor detail, in arrangement and in drafting, which the experience gained since the year 1874 has suggested. It will, however, be sufficient here to notice such of the proposed amendments as are of substantive importance.

3. Passing over the first chapter of the Bill, which contains preliminary matter, it will be found that Chapter II, relating to the constitution of municipalities, requires the Chief Commissioner (section 6) to bring every existing municipality under the new law within three months from the date on which it comes into force, unless he is in a position to declare by notification in the Gazette that it is unfit to be constituted a municipality under that law.

4. Section 3, it will be observed, enables the Chief Commissioner, subject to the usual procedure of issuing notice and hearing objections, to include within the limits of a municipality not merely a town but also any tract of country adjoining a town. This provision has been inserted on the advice of the Chief Commissioner (Mr. Bernard) and the Officiating Chief Commissioner (Mr. Crosthwaite), in order to meet the requirements of certain rural tracts, until such time as it may be found possible to establish a system of local boards for rural districts.

5. The most important alteration of the existing law proposed in Chapter III, relating to the organization of municipal boards, will be found in section 7, which, instead of leaving it absolutely in the discretion of the Chief Commissioner (as the present Act does) to determine whether the committee, or as it is now to be called, the board, should be appointed or elected, requires that at least three-fourths of the members shall be elective, except where the Chief Commissioner considers that a suitable system of election cannot be devised for them.

6. The only other provisions of this chapter which appear to call for notice are section 12, which requires a member of a board appointed to a salaried office under the board, to vacate his seat on the board; section 28, which empowers the board to determine whether their proceedings shall be conducted in English or Burmese, and provides that, when they are conducted in English, arrangements must be made for translating them into Burmese for the benefit of the native members; and section 29, which provides for the payment of small fees to the members of the board for attendance at meetings of the board or of committees.

7. The only alteration of the law proposed in Chapter IV which seems of sufficient importance to call for notice is in section 40, which provides that the following shall be credited to the municipal fund, namely :—

(*b*) the proceeds of the cesses and tax levied on lands and houses in the municipality under sections 4, 5 and 6 of the Burma District Cesses and Rural Police Act, 1880, except such portions of those proceeds as may, under section 9 of that Act, be appropriated by the Chief Commissioner for the maintenance of rural police or for the maintenance of a local postal service;

(*c*) the surplus accruing in the municipality under section 18 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871;

(*d*) the income yielded by any public ferries in the municipality, and, in the case of a ferry on a river forming the boundary of a municipality, such share (if any) of the income of the ferry as the Chief Commissioner may assign in this behalf.

These sources of income, it need hardly be said, will, as a rule, be of little or no importance except when a considerable rural area is included in the municipality. When such an area is included, they will represent the chief contribution from it to the municipal fund.

8. It will be observed that there is nothing in the Bill corresponding to section 32 of the existing Act, which requires the municipality to provide from its funds in the first place such sums as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time fix for the maintenance of the town police. This charge will now be borne by the Government, and thus a considerable amount will be set free for expenditure on general purposes of improvement.

9. The list of duties of a municipal board contained in the first section of Chapter V is necessarily somewhat more extensive than the corresponding list in the existing Act, as under the new system some of the boards will have under them considerable rural areas, entailing duties somewhat different from those arising in connection with towns.

10. Section 47 requires a board, so far as its funds available for educational purposes will permit, to make grants-in-aid of schools in accordance with such rules as the Chief Commissioner, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, may from time to time prescribe.

11. Section 25 of the existing Act gives the Chief Commissioner absolute power to cancel, suspend or limit any of the acts, proceedings or rules of any municipal committee. For this Chapter VI of the Bill proposes to substitute a carefully moderated system of control similar to that established by the Local Self-government Bills recently introduced for other provinces.

12. The last section of the chapter relating to the sanction requisite for undertaking works corresponds to section 35 of the existing Act, but instead of leaving it, as that section does, to the Chief Commissioner to determine the limit of the powers of the committee or board, it directly provides that the four largest municipalities may, on their own authority, undertake works the estimate for which does not exceed Rs. 20,000, and that the others may similarly undertake works the estimate for which does not exceed Rs. 10,000.

13. Section 67, though new as applied to Burma municipalities, has of late become a usual provision in Acts conferring a power to make rules. It provides that, before any rules are made under certain sections of the Act, they shall be published, that a certain time shall be allowed for the public or those concerned to put forward objections to them, and that any objections received shall be duly considered.

The 17th July, 1883.

C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

Nº 30.} SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

CONTENTS.

PART I.—Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, Leave of Absence, General Orders, Rules and Regulations.

PART II.—Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, Administrator General, Paper Currency Dept., Presidency Pay Master, Money Order Department, Mint Master, Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Supdt. of Government Printing, and other Government Officers; Postal, Telegraph, and Commissariat Notices.

PART III.—Advertisements and Notices by private individuals and Corporations.

PART IV.—Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General:—

The Bikráma Singh's Estates Act, 1883.
The Bombay Port-dues Act, 1883.

PART V.—Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.—

The Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.

SUPPLEMENT No. 30.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MEDICAL.

Simla, the 26th July 1883.

No. 254.—The services of Surgeon J. F. Tuohy are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

No. 256.—The services of Surgeon E. G. Russell, M.B., Civil Surgeon of Gauhati, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 259.—Surgeon J. L. Poynder, of the Madras Medical Service, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Balaghat in the Central Provinces.

SANITARY.

The 26th July 1883.

No. 226.—The following quarantine Regulations and Rules, applicable to the pilgrimage of 1883 and 1884, received, through the Government of Bombay, from Her Majesty's Consuls at Jeddah and Alexandria are published for general information:—

Quarantine Special Regulations applicable to the Pilgrimage of the year 1883.

Art. 1.—Every pilgrim vessel arriving from below the Straits of Bab-el-Mandeb, whatever may be the tenor of its bill of health, must proceed direct to the island of Camaran, without calling at any port of the Ottoman littoral of the Red Sea.

Art. 2.—A pilgrim vessel is one expressly chartered for the transport of pilgrims to Mecca.*

Art. 3.—On the arrival of vessels of this category in the roads of Camaran, all the pilgrims will be landed and subjected to the regulation medical visit. If the arrival have a clean bill of health and without any suspicious incidents during the voyage, they will be subjected to a quarantine of five full days, clothing and personal effects will be disinfected as well as the vessel, which will again take its pilgrims and convey them to their destination.

Art. 4.—Vessels arriving with foul bills of health, or which have had choleraic incidents or suspected cases during the voyage, will be subjected, both vessels and pilgrims, to the regulated quarantine, the minimum of duration of which is from 10 to 15 days.

Art. 5.—In such cases all the orders contained in the general Regulation for cholera will be applicable thereto, without exception.

Art. 6.—No pilgrim vessel will be allowed to leave Camaran without taking again on board, after completion of quarantine, all the pilgrims which it had conveyed thither.†

* It must be well understood that article 2 is applicable to every pilgrim ship which at the same time carries goods, whatever may be their quantity, nature and destination, and that no exception will be made except for pilgrims in small numbers taking passage accidentally in steamers that are not engaged in the special trade of the pilgrimage.

† *N.B.* The administration is in a fair way to establishing a line of vessels for regular service between Camaran and Jeddah, which will carry on, at fixed and reasonable conditions, the transport of pilgrims who have undergone, according to each case, a longer or shorter term of quarantine.

This arrangement, which is ad to the advantage of navigation, and which partly modifies article 6 and the last sentence of article 3 of the present regulation, is designed to liberate the vessels which may have brought these pilgrims to Camaran from the obligation to take them again, at the end of their quarantine, for conveyance to their destination.

Art. 7.—Sambuks (native craft) arriving from the Arabian Coast from below the Cape of Bab-el-Mandeb with pilgrims are treated in all points similarly to vessels engaged in this special trade. They will have to proceed direct to the anchorage of Camaran and will be repelled from every other port of the Arabian littoral.

Art. 8.—Vessels arriving from Bussora with pilgrims on board destined for the Hedjaz must also proceed exclusively to Camaran. They will be treated according to the tenor of their bills of health in accordance with the general regulation.

Art. 9.—Clothes, personal effects and merchandise, if any, as well as the vessels, will be subjected to the special régime of the Regulation for cholera.

Art. 10.—Arrivals from India in general are treated according to the Cholera Regulations of 1867.

Read at the Superior Council of Health and adopted at the sitting of 1st May 1883.

RULES.

Rules applicable to pilgrims and vessels carrying them arriving from countries situated beyond the Straits of Bab-el-Mandeb and bound to the Hedjaz with clean bill of health and no cases on board.

ARTICLE I.

On and after the 1st January 1884 pilgrims arriving from countries situated beyond the Straits of Bab-el-Mandeb and going to the Hedjaz shall not be permitted to land at Suez or at any other Egyptian port in the Red Sea, although the country from which they come may be free from cholera, unless they have previously performed at Camaran, or at any other place appointed by the Ottoman authorities, the quarantine prescribed by the Constantinople Sanitary Rules.

However the present measure will only be applicable when the Egyptian Sanitary, Maritime and Quarantine Council shall know for certain that there is a service of steamers between Camaran and Jeddah, and that the quarantine establishment at Camaran has been completed on the basis specified in the Constantinople report on the pilgrimage of 1883.

ARTICLE II.

All vessels which after having left their pilgrims at Camaran may arrive at an Egyptian port, without having themselves undergone quarantine and disinfection, shall only be allowed pratique after favourable medical visit and disinfection. They may, if they prefer, pass the Canal in quarantine under the conditions prescribed by the rules for passing the Canal.

ARTICLE III.

Pilgrims arriving at an Egyptian port without having undergone the said quarantine at Camaran shall repair to the encampment of Tor, there to undergo a five days' quarantine with disinfection. The vessels which carried them shall follow the conditions of the pilgrims, and will be bound to take them to their destination.

Temporary Arrangement.

As a temporary arrangement, and for the year 1883 only, the pilgrims referred to in the foregoing articles shall undergo at Moses' Wells a five days' quarantine with disinfection.

The vessels which may have carried them will be allowed pratique after landing the pilgrims, if the medical visit is favourable and after disinfection.

Approved by the Sanitary, Maritime and Quarantine Council at their sitting of the 5th June 1883.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 24th July 1883.

No. 169.—It is hereby notified for general information that Rule VIII of Section I of the Rules for the care and use of Government cemeteries (other than those in the Presidency town of the Diocese of Calcutta) published under Home Department Notification No. 421, dated the 12th December 1877, has been amended as follows :—

Rule VIII (1).—No burial can, as a general rule, take place in that part of a Government cemetery which has been set apart for the use of members of the Church of England, unless the service prescribed by that Church is read by the Chaplain, if there be one, or, in his absence, by the layman who officiates at the funeral. But a person may be interred in the other portions of a Government cemetery with or without the use of any services of religion.

2. Where in that part of a Government cemetery which has been set apart for the use of members of the Church of England there is a family vault or grave, or a reserved plot of ground purchased by a member of the family, or a masonry grave prepared in immediate contiguity to such family vault or grave, or reserved plot, any deceased member of the family may, if the relative, friend or legal representative having charge of the funeral arrangements shall so desire, be interred in such family vault, grave, or reserved plot without the performance of the service for the burial of the dead according to the rites of the Church of England.

3. The burial may take place at the option of the person having charge of the same either without any religious service or with such Christian and orderly religious service at the grave as such person shall think fit; and any person or persons who shall be thereunto invited, or be authorised by the person having charge of such burial, may conduct such service or take part in any religious act thereat.

4. Notice of any burial which it is intended to conduct under the provisions of this clause shall be given to the Chaplain or other officer in charge of the burial-ground in the manner prescribed by Rule VII.

FORESTS.

The 26th July 1883.

No. 610 *F.*—Consequent on the appointment of Dr. W. Schlich, Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade, as Inspector General of Forests to the Government of India, the following permanent promotions are made, with effect from the 24th April 1883:—

Mr. G. Greig, Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade in the Central Circle of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and Officiating as Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

Major F. Bailey, R.E., Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade in the School Circle of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and Officiating as Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

Mr. A. L. Home, Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade in Bengal and Officiating as Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

Mr. W. Jacob, Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade in the Central Provinces and Officiating as Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

A. MACKENZIE,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 21st July, 1883.

No. 1843 *G.*—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsr. L. P. Vossion, of the French Consular Service, as Vice-Consul for France, at Rangoon.

The 23rd July, 1883.

No. 1851 *G.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Henry Furrer as Acting Vice-Consul for Austria and Hungary, at Aden, during the absence of Mr. V. Escher.

No. 1854 *G.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Paul Masotti as Acting Consul for Belgium, at Bombay, during the absence of Mr. F. Masotti.

The 25th July, 1883.

No. 1874 *G.*—With reference to Foreign Department Notification, No. 1373 G., dated the 10th May, 1883, Mr. J. S. Williams, Consul for the United States of America, at Aden, resumed charge of his office on the 2nd July, 1883.

GENERAL.

The 23rd July, 1883.

No. 1849 *G.*—Mr. C. E. R. Girdlestone, C.S., Resident of the 2nd Class, and Resident in Nipal, is granted three months' privilege leave, with effect from the 25th August, 1883, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

The 25th July, 1883.

No. 1865 *G.*—Major-General J. Watson, C.B., V.C., Bombay Staff Corps, Resident of the 1st Class, and Agent to the Governor-General at Baroda, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 12th September, 1883, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

No. 1869 *G.*—Mr. G. Lucas, Uncovenanted Assistant to the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, is granted three months' privilege leave, with effect from the 16th July, 1883, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

JUDICIAL.

No. 2078 *I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 6 of Act XXI of 1879 (The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant T. C. Pears, Assistant Commissioner, Merwara, to be a Justice of the Peace within the portions of the Rajputana-Malwa Railway running through the States of Marwar and Serohi.

The 26th July, 1883.

No. 2096 *I.*—Whereas His Highness the Maharaja Sindia and His Highness the Maharaj Rana of Dholpur have granted to the British Government full jurisdiction within those portions of lands forming the Sindia State Railway (including the land occupied as stations, out-buildings, and for other purposes connected with the Railway) which lie within their respective territories. In exercise of such jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by Sections 4 and 5 of Act XXI of 1879 (The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to issue the following Notification:—

I.—Act XI of 1865 (to consolidate and amend the law relating to Courts of Small Causes beyond the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature) and Section 5 of the Code of Civil Procedure, and the chapters and sections of that Code specified in the second schedule thereto annexed, are hereby extended to the aforesaid lands.

II.—For the purpose of administering the aforesaid enactments, the Cantonment Magistrate at Morar and the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, for the time being, are respectively invested with the powers of a Court of Small Causes and of a High Court within the aforesaid lands.

C. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The following Resolution, together with the Abstracts A and B and the general Statement of Accounts and Estimates, is published for general information:—

Simla, the 25th July 1883.

No. 2238.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce.

Up to the commencement of the current year, the Accounts and Estimates which accompany the Annual Financial Statement were presented to the public in a form which enabled columns to be inserted showing—

(1) the increase and decrease of Revenue and Expenditure under each head in the Revised as compared with the Budget Estimate of the year about to close;

(2) the increase and decrease of Revenue and Expenditure under each head in the Budget Estimate of the year about to commence as compared with the Revised Estimate of the year about to close.

2. In the new forms, which were adopted for the first time on the occasion of the last Financial Statement, the Increase and Decrease columns were omitted. In Abstract A (Details of Revenue) and Abstract B (Details of Expenditure) columns are inserted showing separately (1) the Imperial, (2) the Provincial and Local, Revenue and Expenditure. The Revenue and Expenditure in England is also shown separately from that in India. It was thought that no further information could be given on the same pages without unduly crowding the figures, and possibly rendering them more difficult to understand.

3. In a note to paragraph 146 to the Financial Statement it was recognised that the new classification of the figures, though superior to that heretofore adopted in other respects, was defective in so far as the omission of the Increase and Decrease columns was concerned. The question of whether it would not be possible to give this information in Abstracts A and B, in addition to the information they already contain, has been reconsidered since the issue of the last Financial Statement. By combining the Increases and Decreases in one column with the sign + prefixed to the former and that of — to the latter, it is thought that the information may be furnished without unduly crowding the figures. This system will, therefore, in future be adopted.

4. The figures given in Appendix I to the last Financial Statement are republished with the addition of the Increase and Decrease columns in Abstracts A and B.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AND ESTIMATES.

General Statement of

Receipts.	For details, see Abstract.	Accounts, 1881-82.	Budget Estimate, 1882-83.	Revised Estimate, 1882-83.	Budget Estimate, 1883-84.
		£	£	£	£
Revenue—					
Principal Heads of Revenue—					
Land Revenue	...	21,948,022	21,487,000	21,700,400	21,792,700
Opium	...	9,862,444	9,500,000	9,561,800	9,200,000
Salt	...	7,375,620	6,049,000	6,128,700	6,167,000
Stamps	...	3,381,372	3,342,000	3,411,600	3,427,200
Excise	...	3,127,274	3,331,000	3,615,900	3,623,300
Other Heads	A	7,659,729	6,162,000	6,376,500	6,383,900
Total Principal Heads	A	53,654,461	49,871,000	50,794,900	50,594,100
Post Office, Telegraph, and Mint	,,	1,489,699	1,637,000	1,652,800	1,670,000
Receipts by Civil Departments	,,	1,513,083	1,374,000	1,434,200	1,4[illegible]2,300
Miscellaneous	,,	1,707,226	1,286,000	1,365,000	1,269,500
Revenue from Productive Public Works	,,	10,782,063	10,423,000	10,369,500	10,607,600
Receipts on account of Public Works not classed as Productive	,,	727,799	619,000	771,500	864,700
Receipts by Military Departments	,,	3,821,475	868,000	1,526,000	865,800
Total Revenue	...	**73,695,806**	**66,078,000**	**67,913,900**	**67,274,000**
Debt, Deposits and Advances—					
Permanent Debt (net Incurred)	C	...	...	2,468,600	2,060,000
Unfunded Debt (net Incurred)	,,	335,853	14,000	707,200	594,400
Deposits and Advances	,,	...	...	262,500	...
Loans to Municipalities, Native States, &c. (net Recoveries)	,,	195,183	85,000	105,200	54,800
Capital of Guaranteed and Subsidized Companies (net Receipts)	,,	...	...	1,092,000	...
Remittances (net)	,,	877,478	...	308,400	...
Secretary of State's Bills drawn	,,	18,412,429	15,342,000	15,042,000	16,300,000
Total Receipts	...	93,516,749	81,519,000	87,899,800	86,283,200
Balance on April 1st—England	...	4,127,719	3,051,349	2,620,909	3,037,109
India	...	13,371,101	14,199,651	14,522,913	13,840,013
GRAND TOTAL	...	111,015,599	98,770,000	105,043,622	103,160,322

Fort William;

DEPT. OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

E. W. KELLNER,

Disbursements.	For details, *vide* Abstract.	Accounts, 1881-82.	Budget Estimate, 1882-83.	Revised Estimate, 1882-83.	Budget Estimate, 1883-84.
		£	£	£	£
Expenditure—					
Interest	B	4,558,100	4,376,000	4,450,700	4,264,000
Direct demands on the Revenues	,,	8,220,111	9,003,079	8,735,500	8,631,300
Post Office, Telegraph, and Mint	,,	1,771,662	1,918,000	1,932,200	2,039,800
Salaries and Expenses of Civil Depts.	,,	11,038,504	11,081,000	11,000,900	11,153,600
Miscellaneous Civil Charges	,,	1,014,532	3,761,921	3,905,100	3,968,100
Famine Relief and Insurance	,,	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000
Expenditure on Productive Public Works (Revenue Account)	,,	9,619,005	10,027,000	9,916,900	10,088,400
Expenditure on Public Works not classed as Productive	,,	6,393,531	7,210,000	7,313,300	7,056,100
Army Services	,,	18,861,112	16,128,000	17,509,300	16,064,000
Exchange on Transactions with London	,,	3,556,700	2,775,000	3,115,600	3,548,000
Total	...	69,593,287	67,783,000	69,379,500	68,316,300
Add—Provincial Surpluses, that is, Allotments to Provincial Governments, unspent by them	End of B	1,521,019	...	18,300	14,700
Deduct—Provincial Deficits, that is, Portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	,,	—1,227	—1,990,000	—1,543,700	—1,514,000
Total Expenditure charged against Revenue	...	**71,113,079**	**65,793,000**	**67,854,100**	**66,817,000**
Expenditure on Productive Public Works (Capital Account)	End of B	3,311,123	3,250,000	4,844,400	3,820,100
Debt, Deposits and Advances—					
Permanent Debt (net Discharged)	C	466,895	688,000	...	...
Unfunded Debt (net Discharged)	,,	...	...	...	...
Deposits and Advances (net)	,,	140,969	150,000	...	585,200
Loans to Municipalities and Native States, &c. (net Advanced)	,,	...	...	...	...
Capital of Guaranteed and Subsidized Companies (net Withdrawals)	,,	502,414	542,000	...	1,236,700
Remittances (net)	,,	...	10,000	...	391,000
Secretary of State's Bills paid	...	18,336,997	15,342,000	15,468,000	16,300,000
Total Disbursements	...	93,871,777	85,775,000	88,166,500	89,150,000
Balance on March 31st—England	...	2,620,909	2,146,649	3,037,109	2,313,609
India	...	14,522,913	10,848,351	13,840,013	11,696,713
GRAND TOTAL	...	111,015,599	98,770,000	105,043,622	103,160,322

Revenue	73,695,806	66,078,000	67,913,900	67,274,000
Expenditure chargeable thereon	71,113,079	65,793,000	67,854,100	66,817,000
Surplus + or Deficit —	+2,582,727	+285,000	+59,800	+457,000

J. WESTLAND,

Comptroller General.

D. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Abstract A.—*Details*

The figures in thick type are those which

	ACCOUNTS, 1881-82.				REVISED
	IMPERIAL.		PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL.	TOTAL.	IMPE-
	England.	India.	India.		England.
	£	£	£	£	£
rincipal Heads of Revenue—					
I.—Land Revenue	...	15,313,251	6,634,771	21,948,022	...
II.—Opium	...	9,862,144	...	9,862,444	...
III.—Salt	...	7,350,727	24,893	7,375,620	...
IV.—Stamps	...	576,252	2,805,120	3,381,372	...
V.—Excise	...	675,701	2,751,573	3,427,274	...
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	178,718	2,716,772	2,895,490	...
VII.—Customs	...	2,106,434	254,954	2,361,388	...
VIII.—Assessed Taxes	...	382,986	153,843	536,829	...
IX.—Forest	2,236	804,984	67,215	874,435	2,800
X.—Registration	...	853	283,861	284,714	...
XI.—Tributes from Native States	...	706,873	...	706,873	...
Total	2,236	37,959,223	15,693,002	**53,654,461**	2,800
ost Office, Telegraph, and Mint—					
XII.—Post Office	...	945,326	4,581	949,907	...
XIII.—Telegraph	51,787	417,421	...	469,208	74,900
XIV.—Mint	28	70,556	...	70,584	...
Total	51,815	1,433,303	4,581	**1,489,699**	74,000
eceipts by Civil Departments—					
XV.—Law and Justice	...	85,638	591,816	677,454	...
XVI.—Police	...	5,699	242,306	248,005	...
XVII.—Marine	13	106,764	131,099	237,876	...
XVIII.—Education	...	1,086	188,206	189,292	...
XIX.—Medical	3,998	5	35,504	39,507	2,000
XX.—Scientific and other Minor Departments	14,480	18,370	58,099	120,949	2,800
Total	18,491	217,562	1,247,030	**1,513,083**	4,800
liscellaneous—					
XXI.—Interest	56,470	808,237	32,197	896,904	23,800
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuations, &c.	105,973	232,688	17,612	356,273	101,800
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	12	11,733	46,066	57,811	...
XXIV.—Miscellaneous	15,171	73,795	306,972	395,238	25,000
Total	177,926	1,126,153	102,847	**1,707,226**	150,600
evenue from Productive Public Works—					
XXV.—State Railways (gross earnings)	...	1,981,836	574,706	2,556,542	...
XXVI.—Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (net Traffic Receipts).	...	3,615,479	...	3,615,479	...
XXVII.—East Indian Railway (net Traffic Receipts)	230	3,261,627	...	3,261,857*a*	200
XXVIII.—Irrigation and Navigation (Direct Receipts)	171	321,743	543,885	865,799	1,400
XXIX.—Madras Irrigation and Canal Company (net Traffic Receipts).	...	— 8,834	...	— 8,834	...
XXX.—Portion of Land Revenue due to Irrigation	...	491,220	...	491,220	...
Total	401	9,663,071	1,118,591	**10,782,063**	1,600
eceipts on account of Public Works not classed as Productive—					
XXXI.—State Railways	...	...	...	...	...
XXXII.—Subsidized Railways	2,290	...	...	2,290	3,700
XXXIII.—Irrigation and Navigation	...	29,216	102,023	131,239	...
XXXIV.—Military Works	...	48,474	1,824	50,298	...
XXXV.—Civil Buildings, Roads, and Services	13,636	23,281	507,055	543,972	14,100
Total	15,926	100,971	610,902	**727,799**	17,800
eceipts by Military Departments—					
XXXVI.—Army	68,263	1,093,444	...	1,161,707	73,000
XXXVII.—Military Operations in Afghanistan	2,305,000*b*	354,768	...	2,659,768	...
XXXVII.—Military Operations in Egypt	...	...	...	...	500,000(*c*)
Total	2,373,263	1,448,212	...	**3,821,475**	573,000
	2,670,058	51,948,795			825,500
Total Revenues	54,618,853		19,076,953	**73,695,806**	49,188,

ar in the General Account.

IMATE, 1882-83.			Increase + Decrease — of Revised as compared with Budget Estimates, 1882-83.	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1883-84.				Increase + Decrease — of Budget, 1883-84 as compared with Revised Estimates, 1882-83.
	Provincial and Local.	Total.		Imperial.		Provincial and Local.	Total.	
India.	India.			England.	India.	India.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
733,600	7,966,800	21,700,400	+ 213,400	...	13,511,500	8,278,200	21,792,700	+ 92,300
561,800	...	9,561,800	+ 61,800	...	9,200,000	...	9,200,000	— 361,800
097,600	31,100	6,128,700	+ 79,700	...	6,136,500	30,500	6,167,000	+ 38,300
721,800	1,689,800	3,411,600	+ 69,600	...	1,729,600	1,697,600	3,427,200	+ 15,600
822,700	1,793,200	3,615,900	+ 284,900	...	1,826,300	1,797,000	3,623,300	+ 7,400
500	2,667,900	2,668,400	+ 19,400	...	500	2,687,700	2,688,200	+ 19,800
065,500	199,800	1,265,300	+ 81,300	...	1,061,800	193,300	1,255,100	— 10,200
262,900	263,000	525,900	— 12,100	...	261,700	261,700	523,400	— 2,500
423,200	495,600	921,600	+ 112,600	2,500	426,800	506,500	935,800	+ 14,200
143,100	142,300	285,400	+ 1,400	...	110,600	159,800	280,400	— 5,000
709,900	...	709,900	+ 8,900	...	701,000	...	701,000	— 8,900
542,600	15,249,500	**50,794,900**	+ 923,900	2,500	34,999,300	15,592,300	**50,594,100**	— 200,800
974,400	5,200	979,600	+ 12,600	...	1,006,000	4,900	1,010,900	+ 31,300
445,800	360	521,000	— 4,000	43,000	511,000	100	557,100	+ 36,100
52,200	...	152,200	+ 7,200	...	102,000	...	102,000	— 50,200
572,100	5,500	**1,652,800**	+ 15,800	43,000	1,622,000	5,000	**1,670,000**	+ 17,200
54,500	607,500	662,000	+ 3,000	...	39,200	605,800	645,000	— 17,000
5,700	221,500	227,200	— 20,800	...	200	226,000	226,200	— 1,000
99,900	111,700	211,600	+ 28,600	...	89,000	118,100	207,100	— 4,500
1,200	198,600	199,800	+ 22,800	...	900	204,000	204,900	+ 5,100
100	46,400	48,500	+ 7,500	2,000	100	46,500	48,600	+ 100
16,500	65,800	85,100	+ 19,100	500	17,200	52,800	70,500	— 14,600
77,900	1,251,500	**1,434,200**	+ 60,200	2,500	146,600	1,253,200	**1,402,300**	— 31,900
633,900	30,300	688,000	+ 36,000	5,000	615,600	30,400	651,000	— 37,000
64,300	27,200	293,300	— 13,700	99,700	168,400	25,100	293,200	— 100
10,000	47,600	57,600	— 1,400	...	7,000	50,200	57,200	— 400
44,000	257,100	326,100	+ 58,100	8,000	38,700	221,400	268,100	— 58,000
552,200	362,200	**1,365,000**	+ 79,000	112,700	829,700	327,100	**1,269,500**	— 95,500
922,000	661,000	2,583,000	— 193,000	...	1,984,000	746,500	2,730,500	+ 147,500
530,000	...	3,530,000	+ 57,000	...	3,539,000	...	3,539,000	+ 9,000
645,000	...	2,845,200	+ 185,200	200	2,907,000	...	2,907,200	+ 62,000
55,800	627,500	884,700	+ 40,700	...	273,200	612,200	885,400	+ 700
5,400	...	— 5,400	+ 9,600	...	...	...	...	+ 5,400
532,000	...	532,000	— 153,000	...	515,500	...	515,500	+ 13,500
979,400	1,288,500	**10,369,500**	— 53,500	200	9,248,700	1,358,700	**10,607,600**	+ 238,100
108,200	14,900	123,100	+ 123,100	...	157,400	34,500	191,900	+ 68,800
...	...	3,700	+ 2,700	1,000	10,000	...	11,000	+ 7,300
28,500	103,400	131,900	— 1,100	...	31,000	110,300	141,300	+ 9,400
42,100	...	42,100	+ 3,000	...	39,200	...	39,200	— 2,900
6,700	449,900	470,700	+ 24,800	17,100	7,300	456,600	481,300	+ 10,600
185,500	568,200	**771,500**	+ 152,500	18,400	244,900	601,400	**864,700**	+ 93,200
913,000	...	986,000	+ 118,000	41,000	824,800	...	865,800	— 120,200
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40,000	...	540,000	+ 540,000	...	...	...	...	— 540,000
953,000	...	**1,526,000**	+ 658,000	41,000	824,800	...	**865,800**	— 660,200
363,000				220,300	47,916,000			
	18,725,400	**67,913,900**	+ 1,835,900	48,136,300		19,137,700	**67,274,000**	— 639,900

Abstract B.—*Details*

The figures in thick type are those which appear

	ACCOUNTS, 1881-82.				REVISED
	IMPERIAL.		PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL.	TOTAL.	IMPE
	England.	India.	India.		England.
	£	£	£	£	£
nterest—					
1.—Interest on Ordinary Debt (excluding that charged to Productive Public Works)	2,512,420	1,504,836	6,860	4,024,116	2,180,600
2.—Interest on Deposits	706	528,865	4,113	533,984	1,800
TOTAL	2,513,126	2,033,701	11,273	**4,558,100**	2,182,400
irect Demands on the Revenues—					
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks	...	180,130	92,240	272,370	...
4.—Assignments and Compensations	...	492,266	702,174	1,194,440	...
Charges in respect of Collection, *viz.*:—					
5.—Land Revenue	541	808,761	2,194,490	3,003,792	600
6.—Opium (including cost of Production)	1,062	2,054,998	1,275	2,057,335	1,600
7.—Salt (including cost of Production)	...	423,653	62,556	486,209	4,0[illegible]0
8.—Stamps	32,862	— 13,574	91,335	110,623	42,600
9.—Excise	3	18,835	78,048	96,886	...
10.—Provincial Rates	...	...	53,226	53,226	...
11.—Customs	17	22,667	172,426	195,110	...
12.—Assessed Taxes	...	580	12,494	13,074	...
13.—Forest	5,288	512,016	40,341	557,645	5,300
14.—Registration	...	393	179,008	179,401	...
TOTAL	39,773	4,500,725	3,679,613	**8,220,111**	54,100
st Office, Telegraph, and Mint—					
15.—Post Office	96,812	955,649	95,474	1,147,935	101,100
16.—Telegraph	94,114	442,087	...	536,201	150,100
17.—Mint	19,017	68,485	24	87,526	7,200
TOTAL	209,943	1,466,221	95,498	**1,771,662**	258,700
laries and Expenses of Civil Departments—					
18.—General Administration	231,431	653,785	609,140	1,494,356	249,700
19.—Law and Justice	226	561,136	2,671,379	3,232,741	1,400
20.—Police	...	82,847	2,471,014	2,553,861	...
21.—Marine (including River Navigation)	197,811	272,982	152,602	623,398	191,300
22.—Education	329	9,123	1,069,038	1,078,490	400
23.—Ecclesiastical	412	119,995	41,698	162,136	400
24.—Medical	7,468	167,704	508,013	683,185	7,500
25.—Political	25,832	622,436	1,078	649,346	26,800
26.—Scientific and other Minor Departments	20,591	388,801	151,599	560,991	26,000
TOTAL	484,133	2,878,810	7,675,561	**11,038,504**	503,500
scellaneous Civil Charges—					
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	31,265	651,063	...	682,328	31,300
28.—Civil Furlough and Absentee Allowances	217,747	3,925	970	222,642	215,000
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	1,367,140	613,631	171,556	2,182,327	1,389,000
30.—Stationery and Printing	118,394	134,867	312,323	565,884	166,500
31.—Miscellaneous	44,156	95,743	251,152	391,351	28,000
TOTAL	1,779,002	1,529,229	736,301	**4,014,532**	1,823,800
mine Relief and Insurance—					
32.—Famine Relief	165	— 12,078	46,762	34,849	...
33.—Protective Works, Railways	...	614,551	...	614,551	...
34.—Protective Works, Irrigation	...	135,449	...	135,449	...
35.—Reduction of Debt	...	715,151	...	715,151	...
TOTAL	165	1,453,073	16,762	**1,500,000**	...
penditure on Productive Public Works (Revenue Account)—					
36.—State Railways (Working and Maintenance)	...	1,342,770	343,622	1,686,392	...
37.—Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Interest and Profits)	3,264,813	413,941	...	3,678,754	3,269,500
38.—East Indian Railway (Interest and Profits)	1,259,446	199,257	...	1,138,703*	1,217,400
39.—Irrigation and Navigation (Working and Maintenance)	193	180,163	274,979	455,335	200
40.—Madras Irrigation and Canal Co. (Interest, &c.)	49,983	513	...	50,496	25,000
41.—Interest on Debt incurred for Productive Public Works—					
Railways	352,852	1,020,842	220,993	1,594,687	348,100
Irrigation	...	274,405	451,980	726,386	...
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	17,952	...	17,952	...
TOTAL	4,907,287	3,450,444	1,291,574	[illegible]	[illegible]

Expenditure.

R10 = £1.

ie General Account.

TIMATE, 1882-83.			Increase + Decrease — of Revised as compared with Budget Estimates, 1882-83.	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1883-84.				Increase + Decrease — of Budget, 1883-84, as compared with Revised Estimates, 1882-83.
	Provincial and Local	Total.		Imperial.		Provincial and Local.	Total.	
India.	India.			England.	India.	India.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
500,500	7,200	3,988,300	+ 71,300	2,494,700	1,321,900	7,000	3,823,600	— 164,700
456,800	3,800	462,400	+ 3,100	3,000	433,700	3,700	440,400	— 22,000
957,300	11,000	**4,450,700**	+ 74,700	2,497,700	1,755,600	10,700	**4,264,000**	— 186,700
190,900	193,300	384,200	— 4,700	...	129,200	66,700	195,900	— 188,300
545,000	696,700	1,241,700	+ 8,621	...	547,600	698,500	1,246,100	+ 4,400
259,800	2,795,500	3,055,900	— 112,100	900	280,100	2,930,400	3,211,700	+ 155,800
343,300	...	2,344,900	+ 94,900	1,000	2,164,300	...	2,165,300	— 179,600
438,000	57,100	499,400	— 139,600	...	482,400	63,900	546,300	+ 46,900
24,800	53,500	120,900	+ 1,900	23,100	25,100	54,500	103,000	— 17,900
47,500	48,200	95,700	— 3,300	...	47,000	47,100	94,100	— 1,300
...	50,900	50,900	+ 1,900	...	...	51,100	51,100	+ 200
...	156,600	156,600	— 6,400	...	...	143,700	143,700	— 12,900
6,900	6,900	13,800	— 1,200	...	7,000	7,000	14,000	+ 200
262,100	319,000	586,700	+ 5,700	5,000	297,100	374,400	676,500	+ 89,800
92,700	92,100	184,800	— 1,200	...	93,100	92,900	186,300	+ 1,500
211,300	4,470,100	**8,735,500**	— 155,179	30,300	4,073,800	4,530,200	**8,634,300**	— 101,200
986,100	99,500	1,186,700	+ 13,700	102,000	1,016,000	104,800	1,222,800	+ 36,100
505,100	1,200	656,700	+ 19,700	198,000	543,200	400	741,600	+ 84,900
81,600	...	88,800	— 19,200	4,200	71,200	...	75,400	— 13,400
572,800	100,700	**1,932,200**	+ 14,200	304,200	1,630,400	105,200	**2,039,800**	+ 107,600
301,400	726,600	1,577,700	+ 73,700	239,000	592,500	723,400	1,554,900	— 22,800
163,400	3,107,900	3,272,700	— 116,800	1,600	162,900	3,182,200	3,346,700	+ 74,000
84,400	2,517,100	2,601,500	— 3,500	...	76,400	2,631,600	2,708,000	+ 76,500
218,000	136,400	545,700	— 75,300	136,700	229,500	149,200	515,400	— 30,300
9,400	1,124,400	1,133,900	— 15,100	300	9,200	1,190,600	1,200,100	+ 66,200
163,200	...	163,600	+ 600	300	167,300	...	167,600	+ 4,000
13,600	676,600	697,700	— 5,300	7,500	14,500	700,700	722,700	+ 25,000
483,500	1,100	511,100	— 8,600	27,300	411,300	800	442,400	— 69,000
252,000	188,700	463,700	+ 21,700	29,800	262,400	212,600	495,800	+ 29,100
988,900	8,505,500	**11,000,900**	— 125,600	433,500	1,929,000	8,791,100	**11,153,600**	+ 152,700
356,700	...	688,000	— 17,921	79,300	634,100	...	713,400	+ 55,400
1,500	...	216,500	— 17,500	225,000	1,500	...	226,500	+ 10,000
260,300	517,700	2,167,000	+ 66,000	1,115,000	232,000	524,300	2,171,300	+ 4,300
15,300	349,200	494,100	+ 54,100	133,000	— 23,900	352,900	462,000	— 32,100
45,600	265,600	339,200	— 11,400	30,000	69,100	265,500	364,600	+ 25,700
048,800	1,132,500	**3,905,100**	+ 73,579	1,882,300	943,100	1,142,700	**3,968,100**	+ 63,000
...	25,600	25,600	+ 25,600	...	...	12,500	12,500	— 13,100
127,100	...	— 127,100	— 519,600	...	1,012,500	...	1,012,500	+ 1,139,600
271,300	...	271,300	— 56,200	...	343,300	...	343,300	+ 72,000
330,200	...	1,330,200	+ 580,200	...	131,700	...	131,700	— 1,198,500
474,100	25,600	**1,500,000**	...	...	1,487,500	12,500	**1,500,000**	...
148,000	384,600	1,532,600	— 208,400	...	1,165,800	407,000	1,572,800	+ 40,260
576,900	...	3,846,100	+ 21,400	3,296,000	588,500	...	3,884,500	+ 38,400
247,100	...	1,464,500	+ 30,500	1,207,600	188,400	...	1,396,000	— 68,500
235,500	290,700	526,400	+ 23,400	...	248,800	300,500	549,300	+ 22,900
...	...	25,000	— 25,000	...	...	...	...	— 25,000
110,300	257,500	1,715,900	— 24,100	301,600	1,205,800	303,100	1,810,500	+ 94,600
326,200	459,700	785,900	+ 51,900	...	388,000	465,700	853,700	+ 67,800
20,200	...	20,200	+ 20,200	...	21,600	...	21,600	+ 1,400
664,200	1,392,500	9,916,900	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10,088,400	+ 171,500

Abstract B.—*Details*

	ACCOUNTS, 1881-82.				REVISED
	IMPERIAL.		PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL.	TOTAL.	IMPE
	England.	India.	India.		England.
	£	£	£	£	£
Brought over	9,933,429	17,311,903	13,536,582	40,781,914	9,982,700
Expenditure on Public Works not classed as productive—					
42.—State Railways (Capital Account)	...	121,418	126,255	247,673	...
43.—State Railways (Working and Maintenance)	...	...	...	...	...
44.—Subsidised Railways	4,301	13,226	...	17,527	13,700
Southern Mahratta Railway	...	...	...	...	...
45.—Frontier Railways	363,491	—138,809	...	224,682	79,000
46.—Irrigation and Navigation	22	425,884	364,027	789,933	1,300
47.—Military Works	...	1,020,035	50,511	1,070,546	1,200
48.—Civil Buildings, Roads, and Services	96,018	466,603	3,480,549	4,043,170	86,800
TOTAL	463,832	1,908,357	4,021,342	6,393,531	182,000
Army Services—					
49.—Army	3,997,482	13,218,733	...	17,216,215	3,969,200
50.—Military Operations in Afghanistan	13,003	1,631,924	...	1,644,927	...
Military Operations in Egypt	...	...	...	...	118,000
TOTAL	4,010,485	14,850,657	...	18,861,142	4,087,200
51.—Exchange on Transactions with London	...	3,557,463	— 763	3,556,700	...
TOTAL	14,407,716	37,628,380	17,557,161	69,593,287	14,251,900
	52,036,126				49,128,
Surpluses	+ 2,582,727		+ 1,521,019	...	+ 59,
Deficits	...		— 1,327	...	...
Total as per Abstract A	54,618,853		19,076,953	...	49,188,
Expenditure on Productive Public Works (Capital Account)—					
52.—State Railways	439,325	1,195,826	...	1,635,151	372,000
53.—East Indian Railway	586,300	455,262	...	1,041,562	450,000
54.—Irrigation and Navigation	...	565,804	...	565,804	...
Madras Irrigation and Canal Company's undertakings	...	...	...	...	1,763,500
55.—Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	68,906	...	68,906	...
TOTAL	1,025,625	2,285,798	...	3,311,423	2,585,500

TIMATE, 1882-83.			Increase + Decrease — of Revised as compared with Budget Estimates, 1882-83.	BUDGET ESTIMATE, 1883-84.				Increase + Decrease — of Budget, 1883-84, as compared with Revised Estimates, 1882-83.
L.	PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL.	TOTAL.		IMPERIAL.		PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL.	TOTAL.	
India.	India.			England.	India.	India.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
,817,700	15,640,900	41,441,300	— 228,700	9,953,200	15,626,300	16,068,700	41,618,200	+ 206,900
61,000	377,900	438,900	— 153,100	...	87,500	422,900	510,400	+ 71,500
134,600	12,100	147,000	+ 147,000	...	157,600	27,200	184,800	+ 37,800
56,500	500	70,700	+ 20,700	29,600	55,000	16,300	100,900	+ 30,200
33,100	...	33,100	+ 33,100	...	84,800	...	84,800	+ 51,700
202,500	...	281,500	+ 58,500	...	67,500	...	67,500	— 214,000
518,100	400,500	919,900	— 54,100	2,000	488,000	311,000	801,000	— 115,900
998,800	...	1,000,000	...	400	999,600	...	1,000,000	...
516,800	3,818,600	4,422,200	+ 51,200	101,700	111,100	3,787,900	4,303,700	— 118,500
,521,400	4,609,900	**7,313,300**	+ 103,300	133,700	2,351,100	4,568,300	**7,056,100**	— 257,200
202,900	...	16,172,100	+ 44,100	4,045,200	12,018,800	...	16,064,000	— 108,100
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
,219,200	...	1,337,200	+ 1,337,200	...	...	...	...	— 1,337,200
,122,100	...	**17,509,300**	+ 1,381,300	4,045,200	12,018,800	...	**16,064,000**	— 1,445,300
15,600	...	**3,115,600**	+ 340,600	...	3,548,000	...	**3,548,000**	+ 432,400
876,800	20,250,800	**69,379,500**	+ 1,596,500	14,132,100	33,547,200	20,637,000	**68,316,300**	— 1,063,200
)	...	...	...	47,679,300		...	...	...
)	+ 18,300	...	...	+ 457,000		+ 11,700	...	...
	—1,543,700	...	...	...		—1,514,000	...	...
)	18,725,460	...	...	48,136,300		19,137,700	...	...
302,400	...	1,674,400	— 193,600	812,000	1,583,000	...	2,395,000	+ 720,600
263,200	..	713,200	+ 228,200	...	424,000	...	424,000	— 289,200
649,100	...	649,100	— 247,900	22,600	955,500	...	978,100	+ 329,000
...	...	1,763,500	+ 1,763,500	...	...	...	...	— 1,763,500
44,200	...	44,200	+ 44,200	...	23,000	...	23,000	— 21,200
,258,900	...	**4,844,400**	+ 1,594,400	834,600	2,985,500	...	**3,820,100**	— 1,024,300

The 24th July, 1883.

No. 2262.—Privilege leave for one month and twenty-one days is granted to Mr. A. C. Tupp, B.C.S., Officiating Accountant General, Bengal, with effect from the 15th August 1883.

Mr. E. W. Kellner is appointed to officiate as Accountant General, Bengal, during Mr. Tupp's absence on leave, or until further orders.

Privilege leave for two months and four days is granted to Mr. E. J. Sinkinson, B.C.S., Officiating Accountant General, North-Western Provinces and Oudh and Deputy Commissioner of Paper Currency at Allahabad, with effect from the 27th August 1883.

Mr. R. Logan, B.C.S., is appointed to officiate as Accountant General, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and Deputy Commissioner of Paper Currency at Allahabad during Mr. Sinkinson's absence on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. J. F. Finlay, M.A., B.C.S., is appointed to officiate as Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce during the absence of Mr. Logan, on deputation, or until further orders.

No. 2275.—In exercise of the power conferred upon him by Section 5 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1882, the Governor General in Council is pleased to constitute the territories administered by the Chief Commissioner of British Burma a Circle of Issue for the purposes of the said Act, with effect from 1st August 1883, to appoint the town of Rangoon to be the place of issue of Currency notes for the said Circle, and to establish an Office of Issue in the town of Rangoon.

And in exercise of the power conferred by Sections 4 and 8 of the said Act, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Comptroller, British Burma, for the time being, to be the Commissioner of Paper Currency for Rangoon.

The 27th July 1883.

No. 2286.—The following Despatch from the Secretary of State for India and the Order in Council therein referred to are published for general information:—

STATISTICS AND COMMERCE.
No. 98.

INDIA OFFICE;
London, 21st June 1883.

To—His Excellency the Most Honourable the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD MARQUIS,—In continuation of my Despatch of the 19th April last, No. 60, I forward 95 copies, received from the Board of Trade, of an Order in Council fixing the dues payable in respect of the Great Basses, the Little Basses, and the Minicoy Lighthouses.

I have, &c.,

(Sd.) KIMBERLEY.

AT THE COURT AT WINDSOR,

The 22nd day of May 1883.

PRESENT:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

Whereas by "The Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1855," it was enacted that in any case in which any Light, house, buoy, or beacon had been or should be thereafter erected or placed on or near the coasts of any British Possession by or with the consent of the Legislative Authority of such Possession, Her Majesty might by Order in Council fix such dues in respect thereof, to be paid by the owner or master of every ship which passes the same, or derives benefit therefrom, as Her Majesty might deem reasonable, and might in like manner from time to time increase, diminish, or repeal such dues, and that from the time specified in such Order for the commencement of the dues thereby fixed, increased, or diminished, the same should be leviable throughout Her Majesty's dominions in manner thereinafter mentioned:

And whereas Lighthouses have, by and with the consent of the Legislative Authority of the Colony of Ceylon, been constructed and placed on the Great Basses Rock, and on the Little Basses Rock, in the said Colony, and a light has been exhibited from each of such Lighthouses:

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the 11th day of November, 1869, Her Majesty was pleased to direct that the dues to be paid in respect of ships passing and deriving benefit from the lights exhibited from the said Great Basses Rock and the said Little Basses Rock, as in the said Order in Council appearing, should be one due of one penny halfpenny per ton in respect of both of the said Lights:

And whereas it is proposed to construct a Lighthouse on the Island of Minicoy between the Maldive and Laccadive Islands, and to exhibit a Light therefrom:

And whereas the Legislative Authorities of India, Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, and Mauritius, have given such consents as are necessary either to the erection of the Lighthouse or to the collection of dues in respect thereof:

And whereas by Section 10 of "The Public Works Loans Act, 1881," the Public Works Loan Commissioners are empowered, in the event of provision being made by Order in Council and otherwise for the levy of dues in respect of any Lighthouse to be erected on the said Island of Minicoy, to advance a sum or sums not exceeding £20,000 for the purpose of constructing the said Lighthouse:

And whereas by the same section of the said Act provision is made for the application of any dues levied in respect of the said Lighthouse to the fund formed by the dues levied in respect of the Great Basses Lighthouse and the Little Basses Lighthouse therein referred to as the Basses Lights Fund, and it is provided that such Fund shall be applicable to the maintenance of the said Great Basses Lighthouse, Little Basses Lighthouse, and Minicoy Lighthouse:

And whereas by the same section of the said Act it is further provided that so long as any money is due to the Public Works Loan Commissioners on account of any Loan under that section, the dues payable in respect of the Great Basses Lighthouse and the Little Basses Lighthouse, or the Minicoy Lighthouse, shall be altered only with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:

And whereas it is expedient that provision should be made for the payment of such of the said dues as may be payable in India, Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, and Mauritius, including the Seychelles Islands, in the currency of the respective countries in which they are payable:

And whereas the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have signified their consent to the dues specified in the Two Schedules hereto annexed:

And whereas the several classes of ships following, that is to say,—

Every ship which in the same voyage by the southward of Ceylon shall cross a line drawn from the southernmost point of Ceylon to the north-westernmost point of the Island of Sumatra, and also a line from the southernmost point of Ceylon to Cape Guardafui on the eastern coast of Africa, and *vice versâ*.

Every ship which in any voyage to or from any place in the Maldive Islands shall cross a line drawn from the southernmost point of Ceylon to the north-westernmost point of Sumatra.

Every ship which in any voyage from any port on the Eastern Coast of Africa, south of Cape Guardafui, or from any port in Madagascar, Bourbon, Mauritius, or any Island adjacent to the same, including the Seychelles and the Chagos Islands, or in any voyage in which such ship shall have rounded the Cape of Good Hope eastward shall cross a line drawn from the southernmost point of Ceylon to the southernmost point of the coast of Tenasserim, and shall, between the 1st day of April and the 30th day of September, both included, arrive at any port situated north of such line.

Every ship which having departed between the 1st day of October and the 31st day of March, both included, from any port situated to the northward of such last-mentioned line, and also to the westward of the ninetieth meridian of longitude east from Greenwich, in any voyage to any port on the eastern coast of Africa south of Cape Guardafui, or to any port in Madagascar, Bourbon, Mauritius, or any island adjacent thereto, including the Seychelles and the Chagos Islands, or in any voyage in which such ship shall round the Cape of Good Hope westward, shall cross the latitude of the Great Basses Lighthouse, or the Little Basses Lighthouse, on the eastward side of the said Lighthouse,

will pass the said Great Basses Lighthouse, and the said Little Basses Lighthouse, and will derive benefit therefrom:

And whereas the several classes of ships following, that is to say,—

Every ship which in any voyage shall or may pass between the Laccadive Islands and the Maldive Islands through the Channel known as the nine degree Channel, north of Minicoy Island, or through that known as the eight degree Channel, south of Minicoy Island,

will pass the said Minicoy Lighthouse and will derive benefit therefrom:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Acts, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to direct that from and after the date of this Order the dues heretofore levied in respect of the Great Basses Lighthouse and the Little Basses Lighthouse under the said Order of the 11th day of November 1869, shall cease to be levied, and the dues specified in the Schedule marked A hereunto annexed shall be levied in lieu thereof:

And that from and after the date of the first exhibition of a Light from the said Minicoy Lighthouse, the dues specified in the Schedule marked B hereunto annexed shall be levied in respect thereof.

C. L. PFEL.

SCHEDULE A.

DUES LEVIABLE IN RESPECT OF THE GREAT BASSES LIGHTHOUSE AND THE LITTLE BASSES LIGHTHOUSE.

—	In the United Kingdom.	In India.	In Ceylon, Mauritius, and the Seychelles.	In the Straits Settlements.
	d.			
For every ship on every voyage in which she passes or derives benefit from the lights, per ton of the burden of such ship.	1½	15 pies.	7½ cents. of a rupee.	3½ cents. of a dollar.

SCHEDULE B.

DUES LEVIABLE IN RESPECT OF MINICOY LIGHTHOUSE.

—	In the United Kingdom.	In India.	In Ceylon, Mauritius, and the Seychelles.	In the Straits Settlements.
	d.			
For every ship on every voyage in which she passes or derives benefit from the light, per ton of the burden of such ship.	½	5 pies.	2½ cents. of a rupee.	1 cent. of a dollar.

The following Resolution is published for general information :—

The 27th July 1883.

No. 2313.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce.

Porous cells are largely imported from England for the Telegraph Department in India. With a view to substitute locally made porous cells for the imported article, enquiries were instituted for the purpose of ascertaining whether they could be procured of Indian manufacture. From the reports received it appears that porous cells of fair quality are at present made only at the Madras School of Art, and that the price is much in excess of that at which similar articles could be imported. The Government of India will be prepared to engage with any local manufacturing establishments to take for a term of years the whole number of porous cells required for the Telegraph Department in India, if they can be supplied of equally good quality and at a price not exceeding the cost of the imported article.

No. 2335.—Mr. E. S. Byrne assumed charge of the duties of his appointment as Deputy Comptroller General before noon on the 21st July 1883.

D. M. BARBOUR,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th July, 1883.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 419.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Edward Edmonstone Couper, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 1st Goorkha Regiment,—1st July, 1882.

Lieutenant Alfred Lucian Phillips, Dorsetshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 28th Native Infantry,—1st July, 1882.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 420.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) L. H. Williams, Bengal S. C., Commandant, 14th Native Infantry, (p. a.) for 72 days, under rule IX of the regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant G. T. Pickard-Cambridge, Bengal S. C., (m. c.) for one year, under rule VI of the regulations of 1875.

No. 421.—The undermentioned officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Major A. G. Hartshorne, General List, Infantry, (m. c.) for six months.

Captain E. H. Cameron, R.E., (m. c.) for six months.

No. 422.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) B. R. Chambers, Bengal S. C., having vacated the command of the 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, on the 1st April, 1883, is permitted to reside in Europe on the terms laid down in paragraph 7 of G. G. O. No. 209 of 1882.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 423.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

"London Gazette," dated the 15th June, 1883, page 3089.

"INDIA OFFICE;
15th June, 1883.

The Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant George Reade MacMullen, from the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. Dated 14th April, 1880, but to rank from 11th September, 1876.

Lieutenant Henry Samuel Price Davies, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 28th February, 1882, but to rank from 29th January, 1879.

Lieutenant Willoughby Thuillier, from the Royal West Surrey Regiment. Dated 4th January, 1882, but to rank from 18th June, 1881."

* * * * * *

"London Gazette," dated the 19th June, 1883, page 3146.

"WAR OFFICE;
Pall Mall, 19th June, 1883.

MEMORANDA.

* * * * * *

The name of the Assistant Commissary of the Bombay Establishment, granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant in the Gazette of 9th January, 1883, is Devitt, not Davitt.

The undermentioned Deputy Commissaries and Honorary Captains, late of the Bengal Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Major on retirement :—

Godfrey Leonard. Dated 24th August, 1882.
Joseph Comber. Dated 16th September, 1882.

The undermentioned First Class Apothecaries of the Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, to have the honorary rank of Surgeon :—

Caleb St. John Lawrence. Dated 20th June, 1883.
Easton Alfred Morris. Dated 20th June, 1883."

"London Gazette," dated the 22nd June, 1883, page 3206.

"WAR OFFICE;
Pall Mall, 22nd June, 1883.

MEMORANDA.

* * * * * *

Brigade Surgeon Thomas Edmondston Charles, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Retired List, to be Honorary Physician to the Queen, with the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General, in succession to Inspector-General of Hospitals Sir John Forsyth, K.C.S.I., C.B., deceased. Dated 23rd June, 1883.

Deputy Surgeon-General Samuel Bowen Partridge, Indian Medical Department, Retired List, to be Honorary Surgeon to the Queen, in succession to Surgeon-Major C. Morehead, M.D., C.I.E., deceased. Dated 23rd June, 1883.

"INDIA OFFICE;
22nd June, 1883.

Her Majesty the Queen Empress of India, has approved of the local and temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel being conferred upon Muhammud Afzul Khan, C.S.I., Khan Bahadur, Ressaidar, 11th (Prince of Wales's Own) Bengal Lancers, while holding the appointment of Agent of the British Government in Afghanistan."

"London Gazette," dated the 26th June 1883, page 3267.

"WAR OFFICE;
Pall Mall, 26th June, 1883.

MEMORANDA.

* * * * * *

Colonel William Edward White, Madras Staff Corps, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 31st May, 1883 (since deceased).

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Anderson, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 22nd March, 1883."

PROMOTIONS.

No. 424.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Henry Warde Webster,—26th July, 1883.

To be Majors.

Captain Henry Affleck Graves,—16th July, 1883.

Captain James Bird Hutchinson,—17th July, 1883.

BENGAL ARMY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Patrick Wheeler, Bengal Infantry,—18th July, 1883.

BREVET.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Walker Pemberton, Madras S. C.,—13th July, 1883.

Lieutenant-Colonel William George Cubitt, V.C., Bengal S. C.,—26th July, 1883.

No. 425.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) William James Pratt Barlow, Bengal S. C., is admitted to the Colonel's allowance. Dated 22nd July, 1883.

No. 426.—NATIVE ARMY—

4th Bengal Cavalry.

Kote-Duffadar Outum Sing to be Jemadar, *vice* Jowalla Sing, deceased,—13th June, 1883.

6th Bengal Cavalry.

Ressaidar Soobhan Ali to be Ressaldar, *vice* Tahour Khan, C.I.E., "Sirdar Bahadur," invalided; Jemadar Maitab Singn, "Bahadur," to be Ressaidar, *vice* Soobhan Ali, promoted,—9th April, 1883.

Kote-Duffadar Rachpal Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Ahmed Khan, deceased,—27th July, 1883.

5th Native Infantry.

Havildar Dewah Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Salamut Ally Khan, promoted,—2nd June, 1883.

25th Native Infantry.

Subadar Dhurm Sing to be Subadar-Major, *vice* Shere Sing, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased; Jemadar Bhoop Sing to be Subadar, *vice* Shere Sing, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased; Havildar Kheyma to be Jemadar, *vice* Bhoop Sing, promoted,—3rd June, 1883.

2nd Goorkha Regiment.

Havildar Jeah Sing Khuttree to be Jemadar, *vice* Runbeer Karkee, invalided,—1st June, 1883.

No. 427.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

5th Punjab Cavalry.

Jemadar Hyder Shah to be Ressaidar, *vice* Kalian Sing, invalided; Duffadar Abdul Summud to be Jemadar, *vice* Hyder Shah, promoted,—1st July, 1883.

REWARDS.

No. 428.—The following promotions are made of Departmental Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers for services during the recent campaign in Egypt, with effect from the 16th July, 1883, under the provisions of Clause 225, India Army Circulars, 1882:—

SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Senior Apothecary.

1st Class Apothecary H. Russell.

To be 1st Class Apothecary.

2nd Class Apothecary D. Duffy.*

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

To be Sub-Conductors.

Sergeant Alfred Wakeman.
Sergeant William Hamilton Milton.

G. CHESNEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

* Subject to his passing the prescribed examination within six months.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 23rd July, 1883.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer, on the date specified, was received in the Military Department from the 10th to the 23rd July, 1883:—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
The Devonshire Regiment	Lieutenant P. F. Reid ...	5th July, 1883 ...	Agra ...	...	...

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from the 10th to the 23rd July, 1883.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
British Military Service.					Rs. A. P.		
Edmund Woods Goldsmith. (a)	Veterinary Surgeon.	Army Veterinary Department.	29th May, 1883.	Intestate	184 14 10	...	...

(a) *Widow.*—Emmeline Ina Orpha Goldsmith.
Children.—Charles John.
Hugh Edmund.

E. H. H. COLLEN,
Officiating Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25rd July 1883.

No. 174.—During the absence on three months' privilege leave of Major G. F. O. Boughey, R.E., Manager, Indus Valley Railway, Mr. H. F. Storey, the Superintendent of Way and Works of the Line, will act as Manager, and Major J. A. Little, Executive Engineer, will act as Superintendent, Way and Works.

The 26th July 1883.

No. 175.—Mr. Labdha Rama Sahni, of the Railway Branch, is promoted from Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, to Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from the forenoon of the 4th July 1883.

No. 176.—With reference to Military Department General Order No. 55, dated 26th January 1883, Major W. P. Tomkins, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Class III, sub. *pro tem.*, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Agent to the Governor General for Biluchistan in the Public Works Department in respect of Civil Works.

The 27th July 1883.

No. 177.—Lalla Mool Chand is appointed Pay Master of the Rajputana-Malwa State Railway in Class IV of the Superior Revenue Establishment, with effect from 1st July 1883.

TELEGRAPH.

The 27th July 1883.

No. 105 T. E.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

Acknowledgment of the services rendered to Government by Colonel R. Murray, B.S.C.

RESOLUTION.—Colonel Murray having succeeded to Colonel's allowances has vacated the office of Director General of Telegraphs in India.

Colonel Murray was permanently appointed Director General of Telegraphs in January 1878. He had, however, previously officiated in the appointment for various periods amounting in the aggregate to 4½ years. He has consequently been the administrative head of this important Department for nearly 10 years. During this long term of office, which included the period of the Afghan War, he conducted the multifarious and constantly increasing operations of the Department most successfully and received the special acknowledgment of Government for the services rendered by him during the campaigns in Afghanistan. The present very satisfactory state of the Department is due in a great measure to the unremitting efforts of Colonel Murray, and His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to place on record the high appreciation the Government of India entertain of his very able and successful administration.

It will be a matter of great satisfaction to His Excellency the Viceroy to bring Colonel Murray's services to the notice of Her Majesty's Government.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to Colonel Murray; also that it be published in the *Gazette of India*, and that a copy be forwarded to the Secretary of State for the information of Her Majesty's Government.

W. S. TREVOR, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 18th July, 1883, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. X OF 1883.

An Act to confirm and give effect to an award made by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General regarding certain matters in dispute between Sardár Bikráma Singh and the Kapúrthhala State.

Preamble.

WHEREAS Sardár Bikráma Singh, in recognition of his services, received from the British Government a grant of land in Oudh forming part of the Akúna Estate; and that land was, with his consent, settled in the name of the Rájá of Kapúrthhala;

and whereas the Rájá of Kapúrthhala took possession of that land, and Sardár Bikráma Singh was unable to recover possession thereof by process of law;

and whereas His Highness Rájá Kurruck Singh of Kapúrthhala and Sardár Bikráma Singh agreed that all claims preferred by Sardár Bikráma Singh to and on account of the said land should be referred to Sir Henry Davies, the then Chief Commissioner of Oudh, for decision as arbitrator, and those claims were referred to Sir Henry Davies accordingly;

and whereas Sir Henry Davies, on the sixth day of January, 1871, delivered the following award, hereinafter called the first award (namely) :—

"My award is that Rájá Kurruck Singh of Kapúrthhala, his heirs, executors or assigns, shall pay, within six months of the present date, in trust to the Chief Commissioner and to the Financial Commissioner of Oudh for the time being, and to the Commissioner of the Faizábád Division for the time being, jointly, on behalf of Sardár Bikráma Singh and the heirs male of his body (if any), the sum of five lákhs of rupees, to be invested, as early as practicable, by the aforementioned trustees in the purchase of land within the Province of Oudh. Such land, when purchased, shall be immediately delivered into the possession of Sardár Bikráma Singh, and shall be held by him and by the heirs male of his body, if any, in proprietary right. But in the event of Sardár Bikráma Singh dying without heirs male of his body, the proprietary right in all such land shall revert unconditionally to the Rájá for the time being of Kapúrthhala.

"If the Rájá of Kapurthhala, his heirs, executors or assigns, fail to pay to the trustees the sum of five lákhs of rupees within six months from the present date, possession of the fifty-five badbast circles detailed in the list hereto appended shall be given to Sardar Bikráma Singh; and all these badbast circles shall be held by him as mortgagee until the whole sum of five lákhs of rupees shall have been paid to the trustees.

"Furthermore, the Rájá of Kapúrthhala, his heirs, executors or assigns, shall pay to Sardár Bikráma Singh, within one month from the present date, the sum of fifty thousand rupees in full liquidation of all claims to the mesne profits of past years. On the expiry of one month, such sum, if still unpaid, will bear interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

Addendum to award.

"To obviate doubts, I declare that, firstly, the words 'heirs male' mean only the sons of a woman belonging to the ahl-i-biradíri of Sardár Bikráma Singh; secondly, Sardár Bikráma Singh shall, prior to the birth of an heir male of his body, have no power to mortgage or sell his interest in the estate purchased for him by the trustees without offering it in the first instance to the Rájá of Kapúrthhala for the time being.

"This addendum shall be read as part of my award;"

and whereas doubts arose as to the meaning of that award, and, with the consent of the parties concerned, the matters in dispute were submitted to His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India for decision;

and whereas, in accordance with this submission, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General considered those matters, and on the third day of March, 1881, made the following award, hereinafter called the second award (namely) :—

"My award is that the estates already purchased and to be purchased shall (the aid of the legislature being invoked if necessary) be so settled that they shall be the property of Bikráma Singh, subject to the following conditions and restrictions :—

"*First.*—No alienations of, or right (other than a right of tenancy subject to rent, or a right incidental to such a

tenancy) created over the estates or any part thereof by Bikráma Singh shall be valid for any period beyond his life.

"*Secondly.*—If Bikráma Singh at his death leaves a male heir of his body surviving him, the succession to the estates shall take place according to the proper law of inheritance; but the estates shall not be chargeable with, or liable to be applied in satisfaction of, any debts incurred by Bikráma Singh, nor shall any person succeeding under this clause be liable, by reason of such succession, for any such debt.

"*Thirdly.*—If Bikráma Singh at his death leaves no male heir of his body surviving him, the estates shall pass to the then Rájá of Kapúrthhala.

"*Fourthly.*—If any lease or other contract fixing rent is granted to, or made with, a tenant by Bikráma Singh for a term, and Bikráma Singh dies before the expiration of such term, or if any such lease or contract is so granted or made in perpetuity, the rent of such tenant shall, notwithstanding anything contained in such lease or contract, be subject on the death of Bikráma Singh to enhancement from time to time on the same grounds, subject to the same conditions and according to the same procedure as if such tenant were a tenant with a right of occupancy; but if the rent is enhanced under this clause, the tenant may at any time thereafter rescind such contract;"

and whereas it is expedient to confirm the second award and give effect to the same;

and whereas, in obedience to the first award, the sum of five lákhs of rupees was paid by the said Rájá Kurrack Singh to the then Chief Commissioner and Financial Commissioner of Oudh and the then Commissioner of the Faizábád Division, and has been by them or by their successors in office invested in the lands specified in the schedule hereto annexed;

and whereas it is expedient to settle the said lands in accordance with the terms of the second award;

and whereas the first award, in so far as it has not already been executed, will be superseded by the second award and this Act, and it is therefore expedient to rescind the first award; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called Bikráma Singh's Estates Act, 1883, and shall come into force at once.

Rescission of first award, and determination of trust created thereby.

2. The first award is hereby rescinded; the trusts created thereunder shall be deemed to have been fully executed and determined; and the trustees thereunder shall be deemed to have been discharged.

Confirmation of second award.

The second award is hereby confirmed.

Lands in schedule to be deemed settled in accordance with second award.

3. The lands specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall vest in Sardár Bikráma Singh, and shall be deemed to be settled as required by the second award.

SCHEDULE.

LANDS VESTED IN SARDÁR BIKRÁMA SINGH.

(*See section 3.*)

District.	Tahsíl.	Pargana.	Hadbast number.	Name of village.
Sitapur	Sitapur	Sitapur	34	Aithalia.
			23	Arhbanian.
			37	Amypur.
			627	Victoria.
			463	Clarknagar.
			25	Alsia.
		Khairabad	75	Barabhari.
			412	Aishbagh.
			558	Mirnagar.
	Misrikh	Maholi	190	Pitampur.
			136	Beadonpur.
			187	Pragpur.
			410	Isanagar.
			208	Tulshipur.
		Misrikh	341	Rahmatpur.
Rae Bareli	Dalmau	Dalmau	29	Bichia Abadi.
		Saraini	56	Baruáhár.
			59	Bandaie.
			57	Bahadurpur.
			208	Dariapur.
			171	Rampur Kalan.
			257	Rewari Pasia Khera.
			314	Saidapur.
			334	Firozpur.
			366	Kanjas.
			365	Kaletigaon with Chak.
			413	Lakhangaon with Chak.
			480	Haibatpur Khurd.
			477	Hilauli.
			476	Hathmasa.
		Khiron	8	Aiendhi.
			452	Malpur.
	Rae Bareli	Rae Bareli	28	Balehpur.

D FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 25th July, 1883, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XI OF 1883.

An Act to give power to reduce port-dues in the port of Bombay.

WHEREAS the rate of port-dues leviable under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, on vessels entering the port of Bombay cannot, consistently with the entry in the third column of the first schedule of that Act in respect of the said port, be fixed at less than two annas per ton, and whereas, having regard to the present receipts and charges on account of that port, the rate of two annas per ton is unnecessarily high, and it is not expedient that a limit should be placed to the reduction of port-dues in the said port; It is hereby enacted as follows :— of 1875.

In the Indian Ports Act, 1875, first schedule, for the first entry in the third column in respect of the port of Bombay, the following shall be substituted :— XII of 1875.

> "Not exceeding four annas per ton for each class of vessels as the Trustees incorporated under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1879, may, from time to time, direct."

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

SIMLA, SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 18th July, 1883 :—

No. 18 OF 1883.

THE BURMA LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL, 1883.

CONTENTS.

PREAMBLE.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

SECTIONS.

1. Short title.
   Local extent.
   Commencement.
2. Definitions.

CHAPTER II.

CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES.

3. Notification of intention to constitute municipality.
4. Notification constituting municipality.
5. Special power in respect of existing municipalities.
6. Obligation to bring existing municipalities under this Act.

CHAPTER III.

ORGANIZATION OF MUNICIPAL BOARDS.

Constitution of Boards.

7. Board to consist of elected and appointed members.

SECTIONS.

8. Power to Local Government to make rules regarding election.
9. Term of office of member of board.
10. Resignation of member of board.
11. Removal of member.
12. Member to vacate on appointment to salaried office.
13. Filling of casual vacancies.
14. Incorporation of municipal board.
15. Time for boards coming into existence.
16. Consequences of establishment of municipal board where municipal committee exists.

President and Vice-president.

17. Election of president and vice-president.
18. Term of office of president and vice-president.
19. Casual vacancies in office of president or vice-president.

Notification of elections, appointments and removals.

20. Notification of appointments, &c.

Joint Committees.

21. Joint committee of two or more boards.

Conduct of Business.

22. Time for holding meetings.
23. Ordinary and special meetings.
24. Quorum.
25. Chairman of meeting.
26. Vote of majority decisive.
27. Resolutions to be recorded and published.
28. Language of board.
29. Fees to members of boards.
30. Power to make rules as to conduct of business.

Officers and Servants.

31. Appointment of secretary.
32. Employment of other officers and servants.

Contracts and Transfers of Property.

33. Mode of executing contracts and transfers.

CHAPTER IV.

TAXATION AND FUNDS.

Taxation.

34. Taxes which may be imposed for general purposes of Act.

SECTIONS.

35. Procedure in imposing such taxes.
36. Power to impose lighting-rate and water-rate.
37. Power to abolish or reduce tax.
38. Power to make rules for assessment and collection of taxes.
39. Taxes leviable under Act VII of 1874 to be deemed taxes under this Act.

Municipal Fund.

40. Municipal fund constituted.
41. Application of municipal fund.

Lighting and Water-supply Funds.

42. Lighting and water-supply funds constituted.
43. Application of these funds.

Custody of, and Disbursements from, Funds.

44. Custody of, and disbursement from, funds.

CHAPTER V.

DUTIES OF MUNICIPAL BOARD.

General Improvement, Conservancy and Education.

45. Duties of municipal board generally.
46. Undertakings beyond municipal limits.
47. Grants-in-aid of schools.

Prevention of Nuisances.

48. Power of board to make rules regarding nuisances.
49. Power to prohibit commission, repetition or continuance of public nuisances.
50. Power as to conditional orders in respect of nuisances.
51. Delegation of powers as to nuisances.
52. Police to aid in carrying out orders regarding nuisances.

Additional Powers.

53. Power to make rules regulating other matters.

CHAPTER VI.

CONTROL.

54. Control by Commissioner and Magistrate.
55. Power to suspend action under Act.
56. Extraordinary powers of Magistrate in case of emergency.
57. Powers of Local Government in case of default of board.
58. Power of Local Government to supersede board in case of incompetency, persistent default or excess or abuse of powers.
59. Annual reports and statements to be submitted.
60. Annual estimates of receipts and expenditure.
61. Sanction to works.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTARY.

62. Penalty on member, officer or servant of board being interested in contract made with board.
63. Suits against boards and their officers and servants.
64. Liability of members for loss, waste or misapplication.
65. Power to vest property in board.
66. Acquisition of land under Act X of 1870.
67. Procedure for making rules under sections 8, 38, 47, 48 and 53.
68. Prosecutions.
69. Recovery of taxes.

Note.—"B. B." in the margin means the draft Bill submitted by the Chief Commissioner with his letter No. 387, dated 16th November, 1883.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-government in British Burma.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to local self-government in British Burma; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. *(1)* This Act may be called the Burma Local Self-government Act, 1883.

Local extent.

(2) It extends to the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma.

Commencement.

(3) And it shall come into force on the first day of November, 1883.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Municipality" means any local area constituted a municipality under Chapter II.

"Prescribed" means prescribed by rules made by the Local Government under this Act.

CHAPTER II.

CONSTITUTION OF MUNICIPALITIES.

Notification of intention to constitute municipality.

3. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, declare its intention to constitute any town or group of towns, and any tract of country adjoining the same, a municipality under this Act: [B. B. 6.] [Act 1874,

Provided that a notification under this section shall not, without the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, comprise any military cantonment.

Notification constituting municipality.

4. *(1)* Any inhabitant of a local area in respect of which a notification has been published under section 3 may, if he objects to anything therein contained, submit his objection in writing to the Secretary to the Local Government within six weeks from the publication of the notification, and the Local Government shall take his objection into consideration [B. B. [Act 1874,

(2) When six weeks from the publication of the notification have expired, and the Local Government has considered the objections (if any) which have been submitted under sub-section (1), the Local Government may, by like notification, constitute the local area a municipality.

Special power in respect of existing municipalities.

5. The Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, constitute any local area comprised in a municipality established under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, a municipality under this Act. VII (

Obligation to bring existing municipalities under this Act.

6. The Local Government shall, within three months from the date on which this Act comes into force, constitute the local area

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter III.—Organization of Municipal Boards.)

comprised in every municipality established under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, a municipality under this Act, unless before the expiration of that period— 1874.

(*a*) it has been included in some local area which has been constituted a municipality under this Act; or

(*b*) the Local Government has declared, by a notification in the official Gazette, that it is unfit to be constituted a municipality under this Act.

CHAPTER III.

ORGANIZATION OF MUNICIPAL BOARDS.

Constitution of Boards.

ss. 9, 1 of 5 and

Board to consist of elected and appointed members.

7. There shall be established for each municipality a municipal board having authority over that municipality, and consisting of—

(*a*) so many inhabitants of the municipality as may, from time to time, be determined by the Local Government, elected in manner next hereinafter prescribed, to represent wards of the municipality or particular classes of the inhabitants; and

(*b*) such person or persons (if any) not exceeding in number one-fourth of the board, as the Local Government may, from time to time, appoint in this behalf:

Provided that the Local Government may appoint all the members of the board of any municipality for which it considers that a suitable system of election cannot be devised.

9.] 1 of 5.]

Power to Local Government to make rules regarding election.

8. *(1)* The Local Government, shall for every municipality in which a system of election is introduced, make rules regulating the following matters, namely :—

(a) the division of the municipality into wards, or of the inhabitants into classes, or both;

(b) the number of representatives proper for each ward or class;

(c) the qualifications of electors and of candidates for election;

(d) the registration of electors;

(e) the nomination of candidates, the time of election and the mode of recording votes; and

(f) any other matters relating to the system of representation and of election for which it may seem expedient to provide.

(2) The Local Government may, after the municipal board has come into existence as hereinafter provided, from time to time amend, after consulting the board, the rules made under this section, but any amendment made under this sub-section shall not take effect until six months after it has been published in the official Gazette.

(3) Elective members of the board shall be elected in accordance with the rules made under this section and for the time being in force.

s. 9.] II of 5.]

Term of office of member of board.

9. *(1)* The term of office of a member of a municipal board shall, subject to the provisions of sections 10, 11 and 12, be three years.

(2) An outgoing member shall, if otherwise qualified, be again eligible for election or appointment.

Resignation of member of board.

10. A member of a municipal board may resign by notifying in writing to the Local Government his intention to do so, and, on his resignation being accepted by the Local Government, he shall be deemed to have vacated his office. [B. B. s. 14.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 6.]

Removal of member.

11. The Local Government may, from time to time, remove any member of a municipal board who ceases to reside within the limits of the municipality, or refuses to act, or becomes incapable of acting, or is declared an insolvent, or is convicted of any such offence, or subjected by a Criminal Court to any such order, as implies, in the opinion of the Local Government, a defect of character which unfits him to be a member, or who without sufficient excuse neglects for more than six consecutive months to be present at the meetings of the board. [B. B. s. 14.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 6.]

Member to vacate on appointment to salaried office.

12. If any member of a municipal board is appointed to a salaried office under the board, he shall forthwith cease to be a member: [B. B. s. 14.]

Provided that—

(*a*) if the board allots a salary to its president or vice-president, he shall not for that reason cease to be a member; and

(*b*) fees allowed under section 29 to members of a board shall not be deemed to be a salary within the meaning of this section.

Filling of casual vacancies.

13. *(1)* When the place of an elected member of a municipal board becomes vacant by the resignation or removal of the member under section 10 or section 11, or by reason of his appointment to a salaried office under section 12, or by his death, a new member shall be elected in manner prescribed to fill the place. [B. B. s. 9.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 5.]

(2) When the place of an appointed member of a municipal board becomes vacant as aforesaid, the Local Government may, if it thinks fit, appoint a new member to fill the place.

(3) A person elected or appointed under this section to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the person whose place he fills would regularly have gone out of office, and shall then go out of office, but shall be again eligible for election or appointment.

Incorporation of municipal board.

14. Every municipal board shall be a body corporate by the name of the municipal board of its municipality, shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, with power, subject to the provisions of this Act, to acquire and hold property, both moveable and immoveable, and to transfer any property held by it, and to contract and to do all other things necessary for the purposes of its constitution, and may sue and be sued in its corporate name: [Act VII of 1874, s. 37.]

Provided that a board shall not purchase or transfer any immoveable property except in pursuance of a resolution passed at a special meeting and sanctioned by the Local Government. [B. B. s. 35.]

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter III.—Organization of Municipal Boards.)

15. A municipal board shall come into existence at such time as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf.

Time for boards coming into existence.

16. When a municipal board comes into existence under section 15 for a municipality constituted under this Act, and that municipality comprises within its limits a local area which is a municipality under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, the following consequences shall ensue, namely:—

Consequences of establishment of municipal board where municipal committee exists.

VII of 1874.

(a) the said Act shall cease to apply to the local area;

(b) the municipal committee (if any) constituted under that Act for the local area shall cease to exist;

[B. B. s 38.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 26.]

(c) all property vested in that committee shall vest in the municipal board for the purposes of this Act, subject to all rights (if any) existing over, and all debts, liabilities and obligations (if any) affecting, that property;

(d) every contract entered into by the committee may be enforced by and against the board in like manner as it might have been enforced by and against the committee if this Act had not been passed;

(e) a Government officer employed by the committee at the time the board comes into existence shall be deemed to be similarly employed by the board, and shall not be dismissed from that employment without the sanction of the Local Government.

President and Vice-president.

[B. B. s. 16.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 8]

17. A municipal board shall, from time to time, at a special meeting, elect one of its members to be president, and may, from time to time, at a like meeting, elect another of its members to be vice-president:

Election of president and vice-president.

Provided that in such municipalities, if any, as the Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, exempt from the operation of this section, the president shall, from time to time, be appointed by the Local Government.

18. A president or vice-president shall hold office for one year, and on the expiration of that period may be again elected or appointed.

Term of office of president and vice-president.

[New.]

19. *(1)* If a president elected by the board or a vice-president dies, ceases to be a member of the board, resigns his office or becomes incapable of acting, the board shall, at a special meeting, elect another of its members to be president or vice-president.

Casual vacancies in office of president or vice-president.

(2) If a president appointed by the Local Government dies, resigns his office or becomes incapable of acting, the Local Government shall appoint another president.

(3) A person elected or appointed under this section to fill a casual vacancy shall hold office until the person whose place he fills would regularly

Notification of elections, appointments and removals.

20. All elections or appointments of presidents and vice-presidents, and all elections, appointments and removals of members of municipal boards, shall be notified in the local official Gazette.

Notification of appointments, &c.

Joint Committees.

21. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, concur with any other municipal board, or with more than one such board, in appointing, out of their respective bodies, a joint committee for any purpose in which they are jointly interested, and in appointing a chairman of the committee, and in delegating to any such committee any power which might be exercised by either or any of the boards, and in framing and modifying regulations as to the proceedings of any such committee, and as to the conduct of correspondence relating to the purpose for which the committee is appointed.

Joint committee of two or more boards.

(2) If any difference of opinion arises between boards acting under this section, the decision thereon of the Commissioner of the division if the areas under the authority of the boards are in the same division, or of the Local Government if those areas are in different divisions, shall be final.

Conduct of Business.

22. *(1)* A municipal board shall meet for the transaction of business at least once in every month on such day as may, from time to time, be fixed by the rules made under section 30.

Time for holding meetings.

(2) The president, or, in his absence, the vice-president, may, whenever he thinks fit, and shall on a requisition made in writing by not less than one-third of the members of the board, convene a meeting at any other time.

23. *(1)* A meeting of a municipal board shall be either ordinary or special.

Ordinary and special meetings.

(2) Any business may be transacted at an ordinary meeting unless it is required by this Act or the rules made under this Act to be transacted at a special meeting.

24. *(1)* The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at a special meeting of a municipal board shall be one-half of the whole board:

Quorum.

Provided that, when the board consists of less than six members, the quorum shall be three.

(2) The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at an ordinary meeting of a municipal board shall be such number, not less than three, as may, from time to time, be fixed by the rules made under section 30:

Provided that, if at any meeting of the board a quorum is not present, the chairman shall adjourn the meeting to such other day as he thinks fit, and the business which would have been brought before the original meeting if there had been a quorum present shall be brought before and transacted by the adjourned meeting whether there is a quorum present thereat or not.

25. *(1)* At every meeting of a municipal board the president, if present, shall preside as chairman.

Chairman of meeting.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter III.—Organization of Municipal Boards.)

the meeting and the vice-president is present, he shall preside as chairman.

(3) In any case not provided for in the foregoing portion of this section, the members present shall elect one of their number to be chairman of the meeting.

[B. B. s. 18 (h) ... VII of ... s. 10.]

26. *(1)* Except as otherwise provided by this Act or by any rule made under this Act, all questions coming before any meeting of a municipal board shall be decided by a majority of the votes of the members present.

Vote of majority decisive.

(2) In case of an equality of votes, the chairman at the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.

[B. B. s. 18 ... VII of ... s. 10.]

27. Every resolution passed by a municipal board at a meeting shall be recorded in a book kept for the purpose, shall be signed by the chairman of the meeting or of the next ensuing meeting, and shall be published in some local English or Vernacular newspaper, or in such other manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct.

Resolutions to be recorded and published.

[B. B. s. 18 ...]

28. The discussions and proceedings of a municipal board shall be conducted and recorded either in English or in Burmese, as the board at a special meeting may, from time to time, decide:

Language of board.

Provided that, if the discussions and proceedings are conducted and recorded in English, the board shall provide for interpreting and translating them into Burmese for the benefit of members who do not understand English.

[B. B. s. 47.]

29. A municipal board may, if it thinks fit, allow to each member thereof for attendance at meetings of the board, or at meetings of committees of the board, fees to such amount and subject to such conditions as the Local Government may, from time to time, approve:

Fees to members of boards.

Provided as follows—

(1) the fees paid under this section shall not exceed ten rupees for each attendance; and

[B. B. ss. 28 ... VII of ... ss. 17 ... 8.]

(2) no fee shall be paid under this section to a member who is a servant of Government on active duty and in receipt of a salary exceeding Rs. 3,000 a year.

[B. B. s. 18 (c).]

30. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules consistent with this Act and any rules made under this Act by the Local Government as to—

Power to make rules as to conduct of business.

(a) the time and place of its meetings;

[B. B. s. 29.]

(b) the manner in which notice thereof is to be given;

(c) the quorum necessary for the transaction of business at ordinary meetings;

(d) the conduct of proceedings at meetings, and the adjournment of meetings;

(e) the appointment of committees of the board, and the division of duties among them and individual members of the board;

(f) the persons by whom receipts may be granted on behalf of the board for money paid under this Act; and

(g) any other similar matters.

(2) A rule made under this section shall not take

Government and published in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct.

[B. B. s. 16.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 8.]

Officers and Servants.

31. *(1)* A municipal board shall, from time to time, at a special meeting, appoint one of its members, or some other person, to be its secretary, and may at a like meeting remove any person so appointed.

Appointment of secretary.

[New.]

(2) If a secretary is a member of the board, he shall receive no remuneration in respect of his services. If he is not a member of the board, the board may, with the previous sanction of the Commissioner, assign to him any such pay, leave-allowance, gratuity or pension as it thinks fit.

[B. B. ss. 28 & 29.]

32. *(1)* Subject to the other provisions of this Act, and to such rules as the Local Government may, from time to time, make prescribing the qualifications requisite in the case of persons appointed to offices requiring professional skill, a municipal board may employ, in addition to its secretary, such other officers and servants as may be necessary or proper for the efficient execution of its duties, and may assign to those officers and servants such pay, leave-allowances, gratuities or pensions as it thinks fit.

Employment of other officers and servants.

(2) In the case of an officer whose services are lent wholly or in part by the Government, the board may contribute to any leave-allowance, gratuity or pension to which he may become entitled in accordance with the rules for the time being in force.

Contracts and Transfers of Property.

33. *(1)* When a contract made by or on behalf of a municipal board exceeds in value or amount one hundred rupees, it must be in writing, and must be signed by the president or vice-president, and at least one other member of the board.

Mode of executing contracts and transfers.

[B. B. ss. 35 & 48.] [Act VII of 1874, ss. 24 & 31.]

(2) A transfer of immoveable property belonging to the board must be made by an instrument in writing, executed by the president and vice-president and by at least two members of the board.

(3) If any such contract or transfer is executed or made otherwise than in conformity with the provisions of this section, it shall not be binding on the board.

CHAPTER IV.

TAXATION AND FUNDS.

Taxation.

34. Subject to any general rules or special orders which the Governor General in Council may, from time to time, make in this behalf, a municipal board may, for the general purposes of this Act, impose, with the sanction hereinafter specified in each case, and in manner prescribed by section 35, any of the following taxes, namely:—

Taxes which may be imposed for general purposes of Act.

[B. B. s. 21.] [Act VII of 1874, ss. 11 & 12.]

(1) with the previous sanction of the Local Government—

(a) a tax on houses, buildings and lands situate within the municipality or any part thereof, not exceeding five per centum of the an-

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter IV.—Taxation and Funds.)

(*b*) a tax on lands covered by buildings and situate as aforesaid, at a rate not exceeding one pie per square foot per annum;

(*c*) a tax on houses situate as aforesaid according to the number of posts in each, at rates not exceeding the following, namely :—

	Rs.	A.	
For a house having not more than 2 posts ...	0	8	per annum.
For a house having not more than 3 posts	1	8	"
For a house having not more than 4 posts ...	2	8	"
For a house having not more than 5 posts ...	4	0	"
For a house having not more than 6 posts ...	7	0	"
For a house having not more than 7 posts ..	10	0	"

and when a house has more than seven posts, four rupees eight annas additional per annum for each post above seven :

(*d*) a tax on carriages, carts, boats, horses, ponies and elephants, or any of them, throughout the municipality or any part thereof :

(2) with the previous sanction of the Local Government and of the Governor General in Council, any other tax:

Provided as follows :—

(1) only one of the taxes mentioned in clauses *(a)*, *(b)* and *(c)* shall be imposed in respect of the same property, and

(2) in assessing a house to the tax mentioned in clause *(c)*, only posts facing a road or street shall be counted, except in the case of bázárs or large buildings extending through from street to street, in which case the posts contained in one row, measured lengthwise, shall be counted.

[B. B. s. 20.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 11.]

Procedure in imposing such taxes.

35. *(1)* A municipal board may resolve, at a special meeting, to propose the imposition of any tax for the purposes of this Act.

(2) When a resolution has been passed under sub-section (1), the board shall publish a notice defining the persons or property proposed to be taxed, the amount or rate of the tax to be imposed, and the system of assessment to be adopted.

(3) Any person likely to be directly affected by the proposed tax, and objecting to the same, may, within a fortnight from the publication of the notice, submit his objection in writing to the board, and the board shall, at a special meeting, take his objection into consideration.

(4) If no objection is submitted within the said period of a fortnight, or if the objections received, having been considered as aforesaid, are deemed insufficient, the board may submit its proposals to the Local Government, with the objections (if any) which have been sent in under sub-section (3).

(5) The Local Government, on receiving proposals under sub-section (4), may sanction the same, or refuse to sanction them, or return them to the board for further consideration.

(6) When the Local Government sanctions under sub-section (5) any proposals which, under section 34, sub-section (2), require the further sanction of the Governor General in Council, it shall submit those proposals to the Governor General in Council with the objections (if any) received through the board; and the Governor General in Council may sanction the proposals, or refuse to sanction the same, or return them to the Local Government for further consideration.

(7) When the proposals of a municipal board in respect of a tax have been sanctioned by the Local Government, or by the Local Government and the Governor General in Council, as the case may be, the board may, at a special meeting, direct the imposition of the tax in accordance with those proposals.

[B. B. s. 22.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 13.]

Power to impose lighting-rate and water-rate.

36. *(1)* To provide for the lighting of the public streets, a municipal board may, under a resolution passed at a special meeting and sanctioned by the Local Government, impose, in addition to any taxes imposed under the foregoing sections, an annual lighting-rate on all houses, buildings and lands situate in the municipality or any part thereof not exceeding two per centum of their annual value.

(2) To provide for the supply of water, a municipal board may, under a resolution passed and sanctioned as aforesaid, impose, in addition to any taxes imposed as aforesaid, an annual rate on all houses and buildings situate in the municipality or any part thereof not exceeding two per cent. of their annual value.

(3) It shall be at the option of the board, when either of the rates mentioned in this section has been imposed, to levy in lieu thereof on any native house an annual rate not exceeding one pie for every three square feet of the ground covered by the house.

(4) Every tax leviable under this section in respect of any house, building or land shall be payable by the occupier of the same.

[B. B. s. 20.] [Act VII of 1874, ss. 11 & 25.]

Power to abolish or reduce tax.

37. A municipal board, by a resolution passed at a special meeting and confirmed by the Local Government, or the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may abolish or reduce any tax imposed under the foregoing sections.

[B. B. s. 25.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 14.]

Power to make rules for assessment and collection of taxes.

38. The Local Government may, from time to time, make rules for the assessment and collection of taxes leviable under this Act :

Provided that, in the case of a tax imposed under section 35, every such rule shall be consistent with the proposals sanctioned in respect of the tax under that section.

Taxes leviable under Act VII of 1874 to be deemed to be taxes under this Act.

39. All taxes leviable in any local area under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, at the time when a municipal board having authority over that local area comes into existence under this Act, shall be deemed to have been imposed and assessed under this Act. VII of 1874.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter V.—Duties of Municipal Board.)

Municipal Fund.

[B. B. ss. 39, 40, 42]. [Act VII of 1874, s. 7]

Municipal fund constituted.

40. There shall be formed for each municipality a municipal fund, and there shall be credited thereto—

(*a*) the proceeds of all taxes levied under this Act and all other money received by the board under this Act, except the proceeds of taxes levied under section 36;

(*b*) the proceeds of the cesses and tax levied on lands and houses in the municipality under sections 4, 5 and 6 of the Burma District Cesses and Rural Police Act, 1880, except such portions of those proceeds as may, under section 9 of that Act, be appropriated by the Local Government for the maintenance of rural police or for the maintenance of a local postal service; [I of 1880.

(*c*) the surplus accruing in the municipality under section 18 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871; [I of 1871.

(*d*) the income yielded by any public ferries in the municipality, and, in the case of a ferry on a river forming the boundary of a municipality, such share (if any) of the income of the ferry as the Local Government may assign in this behalf;

[Act VII of 1874, s. 28.] (*e*) any sums which the Local Government may annually assign, as it is hereby empowered to do, to the municipal fund from the port fund of any port abutting on or within the municipality as being in its opinion a just and reasonable contribution towards the expenditure rendered necessary by the visits to the municipality of seamen from ships lying in the port;

(*f*) all rents and profits accruing from property belonging to or managed by the board;

(*g*) all sums contributed to the fund by the Local Government or by private persons; and

(*h*) when there has been included within the municipality a municipality constituted under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, the balance (if any) standing at the credit of the municipal fund of that municipality at the time when the municipal board came into existence. VII of 1874.

Application of municipal fund.

41. The municipal fund shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be applicable at the discretion of the municipal board to all the purposes of this Act within the limits of the municipalty, and, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, to like purposes beyond those limits when such application of the fund is for the benefit of the inhabitants of the municipality.

Lighting and Water-supply Funds.

[B. B. s. 39.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 27.]

Lighting and water-supply funds constituted.

42. In every municipality in which a tax is levied under section 36 for the purposes of lighting or water-supply, there shall be established a separate fund to be called the lighting fund or water-supply fund, as the case may be, and there shall be credited to it the proceeds of that tax, all other sums received by the board in connection with the purposes for which the tax is levied, and, when there has been included within the limits of the municipality a municipality constituted under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, in which a like tax has been levied, the balance (if any) standing to the credit of the separate account of that tax at the time when the municipal board comes into existence. VII of 1874

Application of these funds.

43. The lighting fund or water-supply fund shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be applicable at the discretion of the municipal board to the lighting of, or supply of water to, the local area in which it is raised (as the case may be), and to no other purpose. [B. B. s. 39

Custody of, and Disbursements from, Funds.

Custody of, and disbursements from, funds.

44. *(1)* The balances standing to the credit of the funds established under sections 10 and 42 shall, if there is a Government treasury or sub-treasury situate within the municipality, be kept in that treasury or sub-treasury. In any other case, the bulk of the funds shall be kept in the nearest Government treasury or sub-treasury, and such funds as may be required for current expenditure shall be kept by the board in a strong box in such place and under such precautions as the board may, from time to time, direct. [B. B. s. 4 [Act VII 1874, s. 29.

(2) No disbursement of such funds or any part thereof shall be made except under the signature of the president or vice-president and one other member of the board.

CHAPTER V.

DUTIES OF MUNICIPAL BOARD.

General Improvement, Conservancy and Education.

Duties of municipal board generally.

45. The following matters shall, subject to the provisions of this Act and to such exceptions or conditions as the Local Government may, from time to time, make or impose, be under the control and administration of the municipal board within the municipality, namely:— [B. B. ss 10, 44 & 4 [Act VII 1874, s. 30.

(*a*) the construction, repair and maintenance of roads, streets, river-channels, ferries and other means of communication, and of drains, tanks and water-courses;

(*b*) the establishment, maintenance and administration of schools, hospitals, dispensaries, markets, wharves and resthouses, and the construction and repair of buildings connected with such institutions;

(*c*) the improvement, extension and purification of the local supply of drinking-water for men and animals;

(*d*) the planting and preservation of trees on public ground;

(*e*) the cleansing, watering and lighting of the streets in towns;

(*f*) the maintenance, repair and management of any buildings or other immoveable property vested in the board under this Act or made over to the board by the Local Government for management; and [B. B. s. 3

(*g*) the construction, establishment, maintenance and carrying out of any other local works, institutions or measures likely to promote the health, safety, comfort or convenience of the public.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter IV.—Taxation and Funds.)

(*b*) a tax on lands covered by buildings and situate as aforesaid, at a rate not exceeding one pie per square foot per annum;

(*c*) a tax on houses situate as aforesaid according to the number of posts in each, at rates not exceeding the following, namely:—

	Rs. A.	
For a house having not more than 2 posts ...	0 8	per annum.
For a house having not more than 3 posts ..	1 8	"
For a house having not more than 4 posts ...	2 8	"
For a house having not more than 5 posts ...	4 0	"
For a house having not more than 6 posts ...	7 0	"
For a house having not more than 7 posts ..	10 0	"

and when a house has more than seven posts, four rupees eight annas additional per annum for each post above seven:

(*d*) a tax on carriages, carts, boats, horses, ponies and elephants, or any of them, throughout the municipality or any part thereof:

(*2*) with the previous sanction of the Local Government and of the Governor General in Council, any other tax:

Provided as follows:—

(*1*) only one of the taxes mentioned in clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) shall be imposed in respect of the same property, and

(*2*) in assessing a house to the tax mentioned in clause (*c*), only posts facing a road or street shall be counted, except in the case of bázárs or large buildings extending through from street to street, in which case the posts contained in one row, measured lengthwise, shall be counted.

[B. B. s. 20.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 11.]

Procedure in imposing such taxes.

35. (*1*) A municipal board may resolve, at a special meeting, to propose the imposition of any tax for the purposes of this Act.

(*2*) When a resolution has been passed under sub-section (1), the board shall publish a notice defining the persons or property proposed to be taxed, the amount or rate of the tax to be imposed, and the system of assessment to be adopted.

(*3*) Any person likely to be directly affected by the proposed tax, and objecting to the same, may, within a fortnight from the publication of the notice, submit his objection in writing to the board, and the board shall, at a special meeting, take his objection into consideration.

(*4*) If no objection is submitted within the said period of a fortnight, or if the objections received, having been considered as aforesaid, are deemed insufficient, the board may submit its proposals to the Local Government, with the objections (if any) which have been sent in under sub-section (3).

(*5*) The Local Government, on receiving proposals under sub-section (4), may sanction the same, or refuse to sanction them, or return them to the board for further consideration.

(*6*) When the Local Government sanctions under sub-section (5) any proposals which, under section 34, sub-section (2), require the further sanction of the Governor General in Council, it shall submit those proposals to the Governor General in Council with the objections (if any) received through the board; and the Governor General in Council may sanction the proposals, or refuse to sanction the same, or return them to the Local Government for further consideration.

(*7*) When the proposals of a municipal board in respect of a tax have been sanctioned by the Local Government, or by the Local Government and the Governor General in Council, as the case may be, the board may, at a special meeting, direct the imposition of the tax in accordance with those proposals.

[B. B. s. 22.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 13.]

Power to impose lighting-rate and water-rate.

36. (*1*) To provide for the lighting of the public streets, a municipal board may, under a resolution passed at a special meeting and sanctioned by the Local Government, impose, in addition to any taxes imposed under the foregoing sections, an annual lighting-rate on all houses, buildings and lands situate in the municipality or any part thereof not exceeding two per centum of their annual value.

(*2*) To provide for the supply of water, a municipal board may, under a resolution passed and sanctioned as aforesaid, impose, in addition to any taxes imposed as aforesaid, an annual rate on all houses and buildings situate in the municipality or any part thereof not exceeding two per cent. of their annual value.

(*3*) It shall be at the option of the board, when either of the rates mentioned in this section has been imposed, to levy in lieu thereof on any native house an annual rate not exceeding one pie for every three square feet of the ground covered by the house.

(*4*) Every tax leviable under this section in respect of any house, building or land shall be payable by the occupier of the same.

[B. B. s. 20.] [Act VII of 1874, ss. 11 & 25.]

Power to abolish or reduce tax.

37. A municipal board, by a resolution passed at a special meeting and confirmed by the Local Government, or the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may abolish or reduce any tax imposed under the foregoing sections.

[B. B. s. 25.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 14.]

Power to make rules for assessment and collection of taxes.

38. The Local Government may, from time to time, make rules for the assessment and collection of taxes leviable under this Act:

Provided that, in the case of a tax imposed under section 35, every such rule shall be consistent with the proposals sanctioned in respect of the tax under that section.

Taxes leviable under Act VII of 1874 to be deemed to be taxes under this Act.

39. All taxes leviable in any local area under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, at the time when a municipal board having authority over that local area comes into existence under this Act, shall be deemed to have been imposed and assessed under this Act. VII of 1874.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter V.—Duties of Municipal Board.)

Municipal Fund.

[B. B. ss. 39, 40, 42]. Act VII of 1874, s. 7]

40. There shall be formed for each municipality a municipal fund, and there shall be credited thereto—

Municipal fund constituted.

(*a*) the proceeds of all taxes levied under this Act and all other money received by the board under this Act, except the proceeds of taxes levied under section 36;

(*b*) the proceeds of the cesses and tax levied on lands and houses in the municipality under sections 4, 5 and 6 of the Burma District Cesses and Rural Police Act, 1880, except such portions of those proceeds as may, under section 9 of that Act, be appropriated by the Local Government for the maintenance of rural police or for the maintenance of a local postal service;

I of 1880.

(*c*) the surplus accruing in the municipality under section 18 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871;

I of 1871.

(*d*) the income yielded by any public ferries in the municipality, and, in the case of a ferry on a river forming the boundary of a municipality, such share (if any) of the income of the ferry as the Local Government may assign in this behalf;

[Act VII of 1874, s. 28.]

(*e*) any sums which the Local Government may annually assign, as it is hereby empowered to do, to the municipal fund from the port fund of any port abutting on or within the municipality as being in its opinion a just and reasonable contribution towards the expenditure rendered necessary by the visits to the municipality of seamen from ships lying in the port;

(*f*) all rents and profits accruing from property belonging to or managed by the board;

(*g*) all sums contributed to the fund by the Local Government or by private persons; and

(*h*) when there has been included within the municipality a municipality constituted under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, the balance (if any) standing at the credit of the municipal fund of that municipality at the time when the municipal board came into existence.

VII of 1874.

41. The municipal fund shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be applicable at the discretion of the municipal board to all the purposes of this Act within the limits of the municipalty, and, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, to like purposes beyond those limits when such application of the fund is for the benefit of the inhabitants of the municipality.

Application of municipal fund.

Lighting and Water-supply Funds.

[B. B. s. 39.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 27.]

42. In every municipality in which a tax is levied under section 36 for the purposes of lighting or water-supply, there shall be established a separate fund to be called the lighting fund or water-supply fund, as the case may be, and there shall be credited to it the proceeds of that tax, all other sums received by the board in connection with the purposes for which the tax is levied, and, when there has been included within the limits of the municipality a municipality constituted under the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, in which a like tax has been levied, the balance (if any) standing to the credit of the separate account of that tax at the time when the municipal board comes into existence.

Lighting and water-supply funds constituted.

VII of 1874

43. The lighting fund or water-supply fund shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be applicable at the discretion of the municipal board to the lighting of, or supply of water to, the local area in which it is raised (as the case may be), and to no other purpose.

Application of these funds.

[B. B. s. 39

Custody of, and Disbursements from, Funds.

44. (*1*) The balances standing to the credit of the funds established under sections 40 and 42 shall, if there is a Government treasury or sub-treasury situate within the municipality, be kept in that treasury or sub-treasury. In any other case, the bulk of the funds shall be kept in the nearest Government treasury or sub-treasury, and such funds as may be required for current expenditure shall be kept by the board in a strong box in such place and under such precautions as the board may, from time to time, direct.

Custody of, and disbursements from, funds.

[B. B. s. 4 Act VII 1874, s. 29.

(*2*) No disbursement of such funds or any part thereof shall be made except under the signature of the president or vice-president and one other member of the board.

CHAPTER V.

DUTIES OF MUNICIPAL BOARD.

General Improvement, Conservancy and Education.

45. The following matters shall, subject to the provisions of this Act and to such exceptions or conditions as the Local Government may, from time to time, make or impose, be under the control and administration of the municipal board within the municipality, namely:—

Duties of municipal board generally.

[B. B. ss 10, 44 & 4 [Act VII 1874, s. 30.

(*a*) the construction, repair and maintenance of roads, streets, river-channels, ferries and other means of communication, and of drains, tanks and water-courses;

(*b*) the establishment, maintenance and administration of schools, hospitals, dispensaries, markets, wharves and resthouses, and the construction and repair of buildings connected with such institutions;

(*c*) the improvement, extension and purification of the local supply of drinking-water for men and animals;

(*d*) the planting and preservation of trees on public ground;

(*e*) the cleansing, watering and lighting of the streets in towns;

(*f*) the maintenance, repair and management of any buildings or other immoveable property vested in the board under this Act or made over to the board by the Local Government for management; and

[B. B. s. 3

(*g*) the construction, establishment, maintenance and carrying out of any other local works, institutions or measures likely to promote the health, safety, comfort or convenience of the public.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter V.—Duties of Municipal Board.)

B. ss. 40 .]

Undertakings beyond municipal limits.

46. A municipal board may, from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, undertake beyond the limits of the municipality the control and administration of any of the matters mentioned in section 45, if its undertaking that control and administration is for the benefit of the inhabitants of the municipality.

B. s. 46.]

Grants-in-aid of schools.

47. A municipal board shall, so far as its funds available for educational purposes permit, make grants-in-aid of schools in accordance with such rules as the Local Government, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, from time to ime, prescribe.

Prevention of Nuisances.

B. ss. 30 32.] VII of , ss. 19, 20 .]

Power of board to make rules regarding nuisances.

48. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules—

(a) declaring that such acts or omissions within the municipality as may in its opinion cause or tend to cause any common injury, danger or annoyance to the public, or to people in general who dwell or occupy property in the vicinity, or any injury, obstruction, danger or annoyance to persons who may have occasion to use any public right, shall be deemed, within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code and for the purposes of this Act, to be public nuisances; and

of 1860.

(b) defining the cases, manner and times in and at which officers of the board may enter on private property for the detection and abatement of public nuisances.

(2) A rule made under this section shall not come into force until it has been confirmed by the Local Government and published for such time and in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, prescribe in this behalf.

B., s. 33.] VII of , s. 22.]

Power to prohibit commission, repetition or continuance of public nuisances.

49. *(1)* Subject to any orders which the Local Government may, from time to time, make in this behalf, a municipal board may order any person not to do, or not to omit to do, within the municipality, anything the doing of, or omission to do, which is a public nuisance.

(2) An order under this section shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of section 291 of the Indian Penal Code, an injunction by a public servant.

of 1860.

B., s. 34.] VII of , s. 23.]

Power as to conditional orders in respect of nuisances.

50. *(1)* The Local Government may invest, within the limits of the municipality, a municipal board with the powers of a Magistrate of a district as described in section one hundred and thirty-three of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and with powers to make conditional orders of the nature referred to in that section, in respect of all or any of the acts or omissions which may have been declared to be public nuisances under clause *(a)* of section 48 of this Act.

f 1882.

(2) Sections one hundred and thirty-three to one hundred and forty-two (both inclusive) of the Code of Criminal Procedure shall, so far as they can be made applicable, apply to all proceedings taken in exercise of these powers.

1882.

(3) The Local Government may, whenever it thinks fit, withdraw the powers with which it has invested a board under this section.

[B. B., s. 34.

Delegation of powers as to nuisances.

51. A municipal board may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, at a special meeting, delegate to one or more committees of its members, or to one or more of its members, any of the powers vested in the board by section 49, or with which the board may have been invested under section 50.

Police to aid in carrying out orders regarding nuisances.

52. Every police-officer in a municipality shall be bound, subject to such instructions as may, from time to time, be issued by the Inspector-General of Police in this behalf, to assist in the prevention of any public nuisance defined to be such by any rule made under this Act.

Additional Powers.

Power to make rules regulating other matters.

53. *(1)* A municipal board may, from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules— [B. B. ss. 27, 30, 31, 32 and 21 (*f*).] [Act VII of 1874, s. 16.]

(a) rendering licenses necessary for the proprietors or drivers of carriages, carts or boats plying for hire within the limits of the municipality, and fixing the fees payable for such licenses and the conditions on which they are to be granted and may be revoked;

(b) for regulating markets, wharves and slaughter-houses within the limits of the municipality, and rendering licenses necessary for the construction or establishment within those limits of new markets, wharves and slaughter-houses, or the keeping of lodging-houses within those limits for the accommodation of persons not being natives of British Burma, and for the holding or keeping open of markets, wharves and slaughter-houses constructed or established within those limits after the date on which this Act or the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, came into force therein, and fixing the fees payable for such licenses and the conditions on which they are to be granted and may be revoked;

VII of 1874.

(c) for securing a proper registration of births, marriages and deaths occurring within the municipality; and

(d) generally for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

(2) In making any rule under this section, a municipal board may direct that a breach of it shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, when the breach is a continuing one, with a further fine of five rupees for every day after the first during which the breach continues.

[B. B. s. 57.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 42.]

(3) A rule made under this section shall not come into force until it has been confirmed by the Local Government, and published for such time and in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, prescribe in this behalf.

(4) Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing portion of this section, the municipal board of a municipality in which the Hackney Carriage Act, 1879, is in force shall not make rules under sub-section (1) with respect to any vehicles to which that Act applies.

XIV of 1879.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter VI.—Control.)

CHAPTER VI.

CONTROL.

Control by Commissioner and Magistrate.

54. *(1)* The Commissioner of the division or the Magistrate of the district may—

(a) enter on and inspect, or cause to be entered on and inspected, any immoveable property within the limits of the division or district respectively occupied by any municipal board or joint committee, or any work in progress within those limits under the direction of any such board or committee;

(b) call for and inspect any book or document in the possession or under the control of any such board or committee having authority within those limits;

(c) require any such board or committee to furnish such statements, accounts, reports and copies of documents relating to the proceedings or duties of the board or committee, as he may think fit to call for; and

(d) record in writing, for the consideration of any such board or committee, any observations he may think proper in regard to the proceedings or duties of the board or committee.

(2) When the Magistrate of the district is a member of a board or joint committee, he shall not exercise, in respect of that board or committee, the powers conferred upon him by sub-section (1).

Power to suspend action under Act.

55. *(1)* The Commissioner of the division or the Magistrate of the district may, by order in writing, suspend within the limits of the division or district (as the case may be) the execution of any resolution or order of a municipal board or joint committee, or prohibit the doing within those limits of any act which is about to be done, or is being done, in pursuance of or under cover of this Act, if, in his opinion, the resolution, order or act is in excess of the powers conferred by law, or the execution of the resolution or order, or the doing of the act, is likely to lead to a serious breach of the peace, or to cause serious injury or annoyance to the public or to any class or body of persons.

(2) When a Commissioner or Magistrate makes any order under this section, he shall forthwith forward a copy thereof, with a statement of his reasons for making it, to the Local Government, which may thereupon rescind the order or direct that it continue in force with or without modification, permanently or for such period as it thinks fit.

Extraordinary powers of Magistrate in case of emergency.

56. *(1)* In cases of emergency, the Magistrate of the district may provide for the execution of any work, or the doing of any act, which a municipal board is empowered to execute or do, and the immediate execution or doing of which is in his opinion necessary for the service or safety of the public, and may direct that the expense of executing the work or doing the act shall be forthwith paid by the board.

(2) If the expense is not so paid, the Magistrate of the district may make an order directing the person having the custody of the balances of the board's funds to pay the expense, or as much thereof as is, from time to time, possible, from the appropriate balance in priority to any or all other charges against the same.

(3) The Magistrate of the district shall forthwith report to the Commissioner every case in which he uses the powers conferred upon him by this section.

[B. B., s. 36.]

Powers of Local Government in case of default of board.

57. *(1)* If at any time it appears to the Local Government that a municipal board has made default in performing any duty imposed on it by or under this or any other Act for the time being in force, the Local Government may, by order in writing, fix a period for the performance of that duty.

(2) If that duty is not performed within the period so fixed, the Local Government may appoint the Magistrate of the district to perform it, and may direct that the expense of performing it shall be paid, within such time as it may fix, to the Magistrate by the board.

(3) If the expense is not so paid, the Magistrate, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, may make an order directing the person having the custody of the balances of the board's funds to pay the expense, or so much thereof as is from time to time possible, from the balance of the appropriate fund in priority to any or all other charges against the same.

Power of Local Government to supersede board in case of incompetency, persistent default or excess or abuse of powers.

58. *(1)* If a municipal board is not competent to perform, or persistently makes default in the performance of, the duties imposed on it by or under this or any other Act for the time being in force, or exceeds or abuses its powers, the Local Government may, with the previous approval of the Governor General in Council, by an order published, with the reasons for making it, in the local official Gazette, declare that board to be incompetent or in default or to have exceeded or abused its powers, as the case may be, and supersede it for a period to be specified in the order.

(2) When a board is so superseded, the following consequences shall ensue:—

(a) All members of the board shall, as from the date of the order, vacate their offices as such members.

(b) All powers and duties of the board may, during the period of supersession, be exercised and performed by such person or persons as the Local Government, from time to time, appoints in that behalf.

(c) All property vested in the board shall, during the period of supersession, vest in the Local Government.

(3) On the expiration of the period of supersession specified in the order, the board shall be reconstituted, and the persons who vacated their offices under clause *(a)* shall not be deemed disqualified from being members.

Burma Local Self-government Bill, 1883.
(Chapter VII.—Supplementary.)

[B. B. s. 50.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 34.]

Annual reports and statements to be submitted.

59. *(1)* A municipal board shall, at the close of each year or of such other period as may, from time to time, be fixed by the Local Government in this behalf, submit to the Local Government a statement of its receipts and disbursements, and a report of all works executed, or proceedings taken, by it under this Act during that period.

[Act VII of 1874, s. 34.]

(2) Accounts submitted under this section shall be examined or audited in such manner as the Local Government, from time to time, prescribes.

Annual estimates of receipts and expenditure.

60. *(1)* A municipal board shall submit, before such dates in each year and in such form as may be directed by the Local Government, an estimate of its probable receipts for the financial year next following, with proposals for its expenditure.

(2) An abstract of the estimate and proposals shall, on being so submitted, be published in such manner as the Local Government, from time to time, directs.

[B. B. s. 51.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 35.]

Sanction to works.

61. *(1)* No new work, the estimated cost of which exceeds five hundred rupees, shall be begun by a municipal board, nor shall any contract be entered into by it in respect of any such work, until a plan and estimate thereof has been approved by the board at a meeting.

(2) If the estimated cost of any such new work exceeds—

twenty thousand rupees in the case of the municipalities of Rangoon, Maulmain, Bassein, and Akyab, or

ten thousand rupees in the case of any other municipality,

it shall not be begun, nor shall any contract be entered into in respect of it, until the plan and estimate have been submitted to the Local Government, and sanctioned by it in an order published in the official Gazette.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTARY.

[B. B. s. 56.] [Act VII of 1874, s. 41.]

Penalty on member, officer or servant of board being interested in contract made with board.

62. If any member, officer or servant of a board is, otherwise than with the permission in writing of the Commissioner of the division, directly or indirectly interested in any contract made with the board, he shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section one hundred and sixty-eight of the Indian Penal Code : XLV of 1860.

Provided that no person shall, by reason of being a shareholder in, or member of, any incorporated or registered company, be held to be interested in any contract entered into between such company and the board.

[B. B. s. 55] [Act VII of

Suits against boards

63. In respect of every suit instituted against a municipal board, or against purporting to be done by him in his official capacity, the board, officer or servant shall have, as nearly as may be, all the privileges which the Secretary of State for India in Council or a public officer respectively has under Chapter XXVII of the Code of Civil Procedure. XIV of

Liability of members for loss, waste or misapplication.

64. Every member of a municipal board shall be liable for the loss, waste or misapplication of any money or other property belonging to the board, if the loss, waste or misapplication is a direct consequence of his neglect or misconduct, and a suit for compensation may be instituted against him by the board or by the Secretary of State for India in Council. [B. B. [Act V 1874 s

Power to vest property in board.

65. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, direct that any property, moveable or immoveable, which is vested in Her Majesty and is situate in the territories administered by the Local Government, shall vest in any municipal board ; and thereupon the property shall vest in that board for the purposes of this Act, subject to all rights (if any) existing over, and all debts, liabilities and obligations (if any) affecting, the property. [B. B.

Acquisition of land under Act X of 1870.

66. Where any land whether within or without the limits of a municipality is required for the purposes of a municipal board, the Local Government may, at the request of the municipal board, proceed to acquire it under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1870 ; and, on payment by the board of the compensation awarded under that Act, the land shall vest in the board. [B. B [Act 1874, X of

Procedure for making rules under sections 8, 38, 47, 48 and 53.

67. *(1)* The authority empowered to make rules under sections 8, 38, 47, 48 and 53 shall, before making them, publish, in such manner as may in its opinion be sufficient for giving information to persons interested, a draft of the proposed rules, together with a notice specifying a date at or after which the draft will be taken into consideration ; and shall, before making the rules, receive and consider any objection or suggestion which may be made by any person with respect to the draft before the date so specified.

(2) Every rule made under any of those sections shall be published in the local official Gazette in English and in such other language or languages as the Local Government may direct ; and such publication shall be conclusive evidence that the rule has been made as required by this section.

Prosecutions.

68. Prosecutions under this Act for infringement of rules may be instituted by the municipal board, or any person authorised by it in this behalf, and not otherwise. [B. [A 187

Recovery of taxes.

69. All fees and all rents and other sums due on account of property for the time being vested in or managed by the municipal board, and all arrears [B A 187

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE Government of India has for some time had under consideration the question of amending the law relating to municipalities in British Burma, so as to bring it more completely into harmony with the principles of local self-government which have recently been laid down by the Government of India, and are now being generally adopted in other Provinces.

2. The present Bill has been prepared for the purpose of making such amendments in the existing Municipal Act (VII of 1874) as are needed, in order to give effect to this object. It has been thought convenient that it should repeal the existing Act, and the opportunity has been taken to introduce many improvements in matters of minor detail, in arrangement and in drafting, which the experience gained since the year 1874 has suggested. It will, however, be sufficient here to notice such of the proposed amendments as are of substantive importance.

3. Passing over the first chapter of the Bill, which contains preliminary matter, it will be found that Chapter II, relating to the constitution of municipalities, requires the Chief Commissioner (section 6) to bring every existing municipality under the new law within three months from the date on which it comes into force, unless he is in a position to declare by notification in the Gazette that it is unfit to be constituted a municipality under that law.

4. Section 3, it will be observed, enables the Chief Commissioner, subject to the usual procedure of issuing notice and hearing objections, to include within the limits of a municipality not merely a town but also any tract of country adjoining a town. This provision has been inserted on the advice of the Chief Commissioner (Mr. Bernard) and the Officiating Chief Commissioner (Mr. Crosthwaite), in order to meet the requirements of certain rural tracts, until such time as it may be found possible to establish a system of local boards for rural districts.

5. The most important alteration of the existing law proposed in Chapter III, relating to the organization of municipal boards, will be found in section 7, which, instead of leaving it absolutely in the discretion of the Chief Commissioner (as the present Act does) to determine whether the committee, or as it is now to be called, the board, should be appointed or elected, requires that at least three-fourths of the members shall be elective, except where the Chief Commissioner considers that a suitable system of election cannot be devised for them.

6. The only other provisions of this chapter which appear to call for notice are section 12, which requires a member of a board appointed to a salaried office under the board, to vacate his seat on the board; section 28, which empowers the board to determine whether their proceedings shall be conducted in English or Burmese, and provides that, when they are conducted in English, arrangements must be made for translating them into Burmese for the benefit of the native members; and section 29, which provides for the payment of small fees to the members of the board for attendance at meetings of the board or of committees.

7. The only alteration of the law proposed in Chapter IV which seems of sufficient importance to call for notice is in section 40, which provides that the following shall be credited to the municipal fund, namely :—

(*b*) the proceeds of the cesses and tax levied on lands and houses in the municipality under sections 4, 5 and 6 of the Burma District Cesses and Rural Police Act, 1880, except such portions of those proceeds as may, under section 9 of that Act, be appropriated by the Chief Commissioner for the maintenance of rural police or for the maintenance of a local postal service;

(*c*) the surplus accruing in the municipality under section 18 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871;

(*d*) the income yielded by any public ferries in the municipality, and, in the case of a ferry on a river forming the boundary of a municipality, such share (if any) of the income of the ferry as the Chief Commissioner may assign in this behalf.

These sources of income, it need hardly be said, will, as a rule, be of little or no importance except when a considerable rural area is included in the municipality. When such an area is included, they will represent the chief contribution from it to the municipal fund.

8. It will be observed that there is nothing in the Bill corresponding to section 32 of the existing Act, which requires the municipality to provide from its funds in the first place such sums as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time fix for the maintenance of the town police. This charge will now be borne by the Government, and thus a considerable amount will be set free for expenditure on general purposes of improvement.

9. The list of duties of a municipal board contained in the first section of Chapter V is necessarily somewhat more extensive than the corresponding list in the existing Act, as under the new system some of the boards will have under them considerable rural areas, entailing duties somewhat different from those arising in connection with towns.

10. Section 47 requires a board, so far as its funds available for educational purposes will permit, to make grants-in-aid of schools in accordance with such rules as the Chief Commissioner, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, may from time to time prescribe.

11. Section 25 of the existing Act gives the Chief Commissioner absolute power to cancel, suspend or limit any of the acts, proceedings or rules of any municipal committee. For this Chapter VI of the Bill proposes to substitute a carefully moderated system of control similar to that established by the Local Self-government Bills recently introduced for other provinces.

12. The last section of the chapter relating to the sanction requisite for undertaking works corresponds to section 35 of the existing Act, but instead of leaving it, as that section does, to the Chief Commissioner to determine the limit of the powers of the committee or board, it directly provides that the four largest municipalities may, on their own authority, undertake works the estimate for which does not exceed Rs. 20,000, and that the others may similarly undertake works the estimate for which does not exceed Rs. 10,000.

13. Section 67, though new as applied to Burma municipalities, has of late become a usual provision in Acts conferring a power to make rules. It provides that, before any rules are made under certain sections of the Act, they shall be published, that a certain time shall be allowed for the public or those concerned to put forward objections to them, and that any objections received shall be duly considered.

The 17th July, 1883.

C. P. ILBERT.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 25th July, 1883.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., *presiding*.
His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.
Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.
Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.
The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, LL.D., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble J. W. Quinton.
The Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BOMBAY PORT-DUES BILL.

Major the Hon'ble E. BARING moved that the Bill to give power to reduce port-dues in the Port of Bombay be taken into consideration.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Major the Hon'ble E. BARING also moved that for the enacting clause of the Bill the following be substituted, namely :—

"In the Indian Ports Act, 1875, first schedule, for the first entry in the third column in respect of the Port of Bombay, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

'Not exceeding four annas per ton for each class of vessels as the Trustees incorporated under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1879, may, from time to time, direct.'"

He said that the Motion was a purely formal one. The Bill in its new form would have the same effect as the Bill as it was originally introduced, that is to say, it would allow the Bombay Port Commissioners to levy duty at less than two annas per ton, which they could not do under the existing law. The change of form was suggested by the Solicitor of the Bombay Government and approved by that Government. The present proposal was intended to give effect to their proposals.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

Major the Hon'ble E. BARING also moved that the Bill as amended be passed.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

BURMA LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that the Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-government in British Burma be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir Steuart Bayley, the Hon'ble Messrs. Hope, Quinton and Barkley, and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 8th August, 1883.

D. FITZPATRICK,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA;
The 27th July, 1883.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTION OF DEEDS, CONTRACTS, &c., ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

No. 1082.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department (Judicial), —dated Simla, the 26th July 1883.

Read—

A letter from the Government of the Punjab, No. 172, dated the 16th June 1883, to the address of the Government of India in the Revenue and Agricultural Department.

RESOLUTION.

In exercise of the power conferred by the thirty-third and thirty-fourth of Vic., Cap. fifty-nine, Section two, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the undermentioned class of deeds, contracts, and other instruments referred to in the twenty-second and twenty-third of Vic., Cap. forty-one, Section two, may, in the territories under the administration of the Government of the Punjab, be executed as follows :—

By Deputy Commissioners	Agreements for the recovery of advances under Act X of 1879 (The Northern India Tuccavi Act), together with interest on the same.

Nos. 1083-84.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the Government of the Punjab and to the Revenue and Agricultural Department, and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 24th JULY 1883.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Although a general break in the rains seems now to have set in, yet during the early part of the week to which the reports relate good rain fell throughout India, except in some districts of the Punjab. In Bombay the fall was heavy along the Western Ghats, but some deficiency is reported in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country. In Baroda and Surat the excessive rainfall of previous weeks has been succeeded by light showers. A break would be beneficial in parts of Central India. In Rajputana the rainfall has been light, but favourable; and the tanks have generally a sufficiency of water, except in Marwar where they are empty.

In Burma the rainfall though below average has been generally sufficient. Good rain has fallen all over Bengal; at Burdwan the fall was exceptionally heavy, but in some parts of that district and in Rajshahye, Rungpur, and Purneah more is needed for transplanting of rice. Rain continues to hold off in Gaubati; elsewhere in Assam the fall has been sufficient. Seasonable weather prevails over the Central Provinces, and prospects there are very favourable. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh ample rain fell in all reporting districts up to the 24th instant, and the crops are reported to be doing well. In the Punjab the fall has been very partial, and more rain is much wanted in several districts.

Harvesting continues in the Madras Presidency, and standing crops are generally in good condition, except in parts of Coimbatore and Tanjore where they are suffering from want of rain. Sowings for the *kharif* have nearly been completed in the Bombay Presidency, Central India, and the Central Provinces, and are in full progress in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Punjab. The cotton crop is being weeded in the Central Provinces and Berars and promises well. Transplanting of rice is being pushed on in Bengal and Assam. In the former province harvesting of early rice and jute continues, and indigo manufacture has been commenced. Ploughing is nearly finished in Burma, and rice seedlings are being transplanted.

The crops in the Deccan are seriously threatened by locusts. Cattle-disease is reported from most districts.

Cholera appears to be prevalent in Bombay, the Central Provinces, and parts of Bengal; and a severe epidemic is said to exist in the city of Agar in Central India.

Prices are fluctuating.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Madras—(July 25th)		
Bellary ...	·43 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good; harvest paddy, yield average.
Kurnool ...	·84 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops good; small-pox in one and cattle-disease in six taluks.
Ganjam ...	1·52 (average of sixteen stations).	Standing crops red gram, gingelly, and sugarcane thriving; cholera slight at Chicacole; cattle-disease slight at Berhampur.
Kistna ...	1·25 (average of twelve stations).	Standing crops promising; fever, guinea-worm, small-pox, and cattle-disease slight.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	1·66 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops good where water available; harvest *kar*, paddy, &c., yield half; small-pox and cattle-disease slight in two taluks; cholera in one village, 1 death.
Coimbatore	·13 (average of six stations).	Condition of wet crops good; dry crops in parts of three taluks suffering for want of rain, and in parts of two taluks attacked by insects; harvest *cholum* and *cumboo* in parts, yield average; *cheena* in one taluk; 5 deaths from fever in parts of two taluks.
Tanjore ...	·43 (average of six stations).	Standing crops generally good, except in parts of one taluk not flourishing for want of sufficient rain; 37 deaths from cholera; cattle-disease in parts of two taluks.
Madura ...	·58 (average of four stations).	Standing crops fair; harvest paddy and dry crops in parts.
Malabar ...	5·7 (average of fourteen stations).	Kurt crop progressing in all taluks; small-pox slight in all taluks; fever and cattle-disease in parts, latter slight; cholera in Palghat, 6 deaths.
Travancore ...	·555	Paddy in good condition; fever prevails. *General Remarks.*—General prospects fair.
Bombay—(July 25th)		
Kurrachee ...	·30; average of ten other stations, 2·30.	Small-pox in eight villages in districts, 12 fresh cases, 3 deaths, 10 remaining sick; river at Kotri on 23rd 18 feet 2 inches, against 17 feet 11 inches on same date last year; fever in five talukas; *kharif* sowings progressing; wheat, red rice, and *bajri* in Kurrachee 26, 32 and 36, in Manjhand 32, 24 and 48, in Sakro 16, 28 and 38, and in Mirpur Botoro 22, 30 and 34 lbs. per rupee respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in ten talukas—average fall 2·33.	River 3 inches more than on same date last year; small-pox in seven and cattle-disease in two talukas; prices of food-grains steady since last week.
Ahmedabad ...	·58	Total rainfall 14·77; sowing progressing; wheat 26½ and *bajri* 30 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	·56	Total rainfall 32·16; sowing of *kharif* in progress; transplantation of rice in Kadi division commenced; health good; *bajri* 27 and rice 24 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Bombay—*contd.*		
Surat ...	·84	Total rainfall 37·36; sowing operations continue; cattle-disease in Olphad; cholera in Burdoli and Bulsar; *juari* 38 and *nagli* 43 lbs. per rupee.
Nasik ...	At Igatpuri, 12·30; at Peint, 7·79; slight in other places.	Cholera in all talukas except Malegaon, Baglan, and Peint, deaths 99; *kharif* sowings progressing vigorously; wheat 25, *bajri* 28, and rice 22 lbs. per rupee; young locusts appearing in several talukas, old ones still in a few.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Light rain daily; total of week 1·42.	Total rainfall to date 53·39, being 12·53 above average; abnormal temperature 2° warm; vapour in air slightly in excess of normal; abnormal wind northerly from 20th to 23rd, wind normal on all other days.
Poona ...	Rain in four talukas—maximum 5·0 in Mawal, minimum ·57 in Khed.	Cholera cases 510, fatal 205; *bajri* 37 and *juari* 46 lbs. per rupee, in Poona *bajri* 32 and *juari* 41 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Slight rain in all talukas, except Shrigonda, Karjat, and Rahuri.	Cholera cases 1,355, 663 deaths; cattle-disease in Karjat and Parner; *juari*—maximum 66 lbs. per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 45 lbs. in Kopargaon; *bajri*—maximum 54 lbs per rupee in Jamkhed, minimum 33 lbs. in Kopargaon.
Sholapur ...	·41	Total rainfall 13·71; *kharif* sowings nearly completed; *juari* 62 and *bajri* 52 lbs. per rupee; cholera cases 745, deaths 352.
Dharwar ...	2·59 in Hangal; 1·94 in Hubli; slight elsewhere.	Crops good; sowings retarded in Kalghatgi and Hangal by excessive moisture and in Navalgund and Ron by want of rain; public health good; 1 case of cholera in Ron; slight cattle-disease in Kalghatgi; *juari* 74 lbs. per rupee in Ranibennur and Kod, 48 to 63 lbs. per rupee elsewhere; rice 32 and wheat 43 lbs. per rupee.
Kanara ...	In Karwar, 12·89; in Kumpta, 20·20; in Sirsa, 10·08; in Hallial, 4·0.	Total rainfall 95·68; weeding continues, also transplanting in some places; sugarcane and garden crops healthy; small-pox in Karwar, Kumpta, Bhatkal, and Sidapur; fever in some places; cattle-disease in Sidapur; common rice in Karwar 12¼ seers per rupee, in district average 13½ seers.
Rajkot ...	·25	Total rainfall 21·25; weather cool; general health fair; sowing operations continue; cholera in some villages of Halar; *bajri* 29 and *juari* 35 lbs. per rupee.
		General Remarks.—Rain throughout the Presidency and Sind, wanted in parts of the Southern Mahratta Country; sowing and transplanting of rice still in general progress; locusts in Nasik, Khandesh, Tanna, Colaba, and Ratnagiri; cholera in all districts of the Deccan, in Tanna, Colaba, Surat, and Kaladgi; small-pox, fever, and cattle-disease in a few districts.
Bengal—(July 25th)		
Chittagong ...	13·28	Weather seasonable; prospects of crops fair; *amun* doing well; prices stationary; cattle-disease still reported; general health good.
Dacca ...	3·24	Paddy being sown; *aus* paddy being harvested; *amun* paddy, sugarcane, and other crops thriving well; jute damaged by worms in Nawabgunge.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta)	4·76	Prospects good; early crops promise well; *amun* being transplanted; public health generally good; rivers rising.
Moorshedabad ...	5·0	Transplanting operations being pushed on vigorously owing to recent rain; *aus* also much benefited by it; health on the whole good; cattle-disease has broken out in thana Shamshergunge.
Rajshahye ...	2·58, good rain during week.	Paddy being transplanted; more rain necessary for transplanting; some fever reported.
Burdwan ...	14·40; Culna 9·52; Cutwa 5·3.	Transplanting in progress; prospects favourable except in Cutwa, where more rain wanted; public health fair.
Rungpore ...	1·27	Weather hot; *aus* rice and jute being harvested; prospects of *amun* rice and sugarcane good; more rain wanted; cholera still somewhat prevalent in some parts of district.
Bhagalpur ...	2·68, fair rainfall	Everywhere prospects of crops good.
Purneah ...	3·65	More rain required for transplanting winter rice; health fair; slight fever; rivers rising again.
Patna ...	4·55	Ploughing and sowing going on rapidly; prospects of crops good.
Durbhunga ...	3·9	Transplanting progressing well; prices stationary; health good.
Hazaribagh ...	5·50; ample rain during week.	Weather cloudy and seasonable; prospects of crops good; public health good.
Cuttack ...	3·27	*Sarad* rice progressing well; *beali* rice being weeded; public health good; a few cases of cholera in the town.
		General Remarks.—Rain in varying quantities fell throughout these provinces during the week; it has generally been pretty good for agricultural purposes, though certain districts still complain of its insufficiency; state of the early crops has been improved, and transplanting of late rice is now being carried on with vigour; harvesting of early rice and jute is going on in parts of Central and Eastern Bengal, and indigo manufacture has commenced in Behar; in Orissa re-sowing is being made on the flooded tracts from which the waters have now receded; cholera is still prevalent in Gya, and is epidemic in one thana of Lohardugga, otherwise the public health is reported to be fair.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
N. W. Provinces and Oudh—		
Benares (July 24th)	11·7; Chandausi, 10·5; Gangapur, 7·7.	The late rains have done immense good to the *kharif* crops; no sickness of men or cattle; prices steady.
Allahabad („ 25th)	Abundant and constant rain in all tahsils, except Bara; general average, 5·6; Bara, 1·4.	*Kharif* sowings nearly completed and crops doing well; cholera diminished in district, but has appeared in city in mild form; prices generally fallen.
Gorakhpur („ 23rd)	Rain general, 3·9 since the 17th instant.	*Kharif* sowings in progress; some cattle-disease; prices rising.
Jhansi („ „)	·7; Mau, ·5; Moth, 2·0; Garotha, ·2.	Sowing in progress; health good; people engaged on field work.
Agra („ 24th)	From 2·9 to 8·1 in all parganas.	*Kharif* sowings continue; fever in two parganas; sporadic cholera in one pargana; prices steady.
Bareilly („ „)	Ample and general rain.	Sowings everywhere progressing; slight fall in the price of barley and wheat, *juari* and *arhar* risen; health remains satisfactory.
Meerut („ „)	3·0; Shardana, 3·4; Bagpat, 5·4; Mowana, 3·2; Ghaziabad, 2·2; Hapur, 3·1.	Weather seasonable; *kharif* crops sown; health good; prices stationary.
Kumaun („ „)	Rain not heavy, but sufficient and general.	Crops very good; general health good; cattle-disease continues; prices stationary.
Lucknow („ „)	10·8; Maliabad, 5·1; Mohanlalganj, 8·0.	Prices steady; prospects favourable; public health good.
Partabgarh („ „)	Sadr, 4·0; Kunda, 5·5; Patti, 4·3.	*Kharif* sowings nearly completed; slight small-pox reported in Patti; general health good; prices almost stationary.
Sitapur („ „)	General rain throughout district; average, 8·0.	Prices stationary.
Fyzabad („ „)	Sadr, 5·5; Akbarpur, 8·1; Bikapur, 4·7; Tanda, 5·4.	Weeding going on; public health good; cattle-disease in part of district.
Rae Bareli („ 23rd)	Good rain all over the district; Sadr, 4·1 and ·09.	Weather cloudy; agricultural operations in progress; prices stationary.
Cawnpore („ 24th)	Average in nine parganas, 5·4.	Cholera decreasing; *kharif* sowings in progress all over the district; prices almost stationary.
Farukhabad („ „)	Abundant and well distributed rain fell throughout the week.	The sowing of the early *kharif* crops nearly completed, and the land is in good condition for sowings of *juari* and *bajri*.
		General Remarks.—Ample rain has fallen in all reporting districts during the week, doing much good; the *kharif* sowings are progressing well, and are nearly completed in a number of districts; the general health is good, and cholera seems to be abating; prices are fluctuating.
Punjab—(July 24th)		
Delhi ...	1·60	Health good; *kharif* ploughings in progress; slight rise in prices.
Hissar ...	.....	Health good; *kharif* sowings in progress; crop prospects good; prices falling.
Umballa ...	3·70	More rain wanted; health fair; *kharif* sowings in progress; prices stationary.
Jullundur ...	·50	More rain much wanted; health fair; crops backward; prices stationary.
Amritsar ...	4·90	Health good; prices steady.
Sialkot ...	1·0	More rain wanted; *kharif* sowings in progress; health good; slight fall in prices.
Ferozepore ...	3·60 at tahsil Zira, less elsewhere.	Health good; *kharif* ploughings and sowings in progress; prices rising.
Lahore ...	No rain	Rain wanted; health good; prices stationary.
Rawalpindi ...	1·50	A few cases of fever in Kahuta tahsil; *kharif* sowings completed; prices rising.
Mooltan ...	.....	Health good; crop prospects favourable; prices slightly falling.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	·1	Health good; *kharif* sowings commenced; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	1·90	Health good; prices stationary.
		General Remarks.—Rain has fallen in nearly every district, but more is needed; health good, except in the Umballa, Jullundur, and Rawalpindi districts; *kharif* sowings in progress.
Central Provinces—(July 25th)		
Nagpur ...	1·73	Weather cloudy, with light showers; sowings almost completed; cholera prevalent throughout the district, 776 cases, 360 deaths; cattle-disease prevalent; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ...	4·77	Weather cloudy and rainy; *kharif* sowings continue; weeding of cotton commenced; prospects favourable; prices stationary.
Saugor ...	3·42	Rainfall deficient; sowings almost finished; weeding in progress; prospects good; prices steady; health good.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Central Provinces—*contd.*		
Sambalpur (July 21st)	10·91	Weather wet but seasonable; prospects good; health good; common rice 45 seers per rupee.
Seoni („ 24th)	Heavy rain since 23rd after break of one week.	Transplanting of rice commenced; 10 deaths from cholera; prices stationary.
Hoshangabad ...	3·21	Weather cloudy and rainy; weeding in progress; 7 deaths from small-pox; wheat 15 and rice 9 seers per rupee.
Khandwa ...	·30	Prospects good; 62 deaths from cholera in Burhanpur; wheat 15, *juari* 20, and rice 15 seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	2·91	Prospects good; 4 deaths from cholera at Nandgaon.
		General Remarks. Weather cloudy, with light rain; prospects of crops very favourable; prices steady; severe cholera in some places.
British Burma—(July 26th)		
Akyab ...	20·46	Total rainfall up to date 95·00; 6 deaths from cholera in town and three in district, otherwise public health good; 147 deaths of cattle in three townships, in others health of plough cattle good; ploughing nearly completed; sowing commenced.
Rangoon ...	3·23	Total rainfall up to date 56·23; public health good; price of paddy from Rs. 88 to Rs. 89 per 100 baskets.
Bassein ...	6·85	Total rainfall up to date 45·81; 2 deaths from cholera in Bassein township, otherwise public health good; 14 deaths of cattle in two townships; ploughing progressing; transplanting begun in parts of the district.
Prome ...	3·68	Total rainfall up to date 26·19; public health good; 14 deaths of plough cattle in Shwaydoung; about 32,500 acres already ploughed; more rain wanted in a few circles in the Shwaylay and Shwaydoung townships.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	10·76	Total rainfall up to date 81·38; 2 deaths from cholera in one township, otherwise public health in Moulmein and district good; 938 deaths of cattle in five townships; about 90 per cent. fields ploughed; health of plough cattle generally good; sowing progressing; about 30 per cent. fields sown; crop prospects favourable; nurseries, health, ploughing, and sowing somewhat disturbed on account of high water; health of cattle good; nearly 20 acres of crops destroyed by crabs; transplanting progressing; state of supply of seedlings for transplanting fair.
Toungoo ...	6·78	Total rainfall up to date 35·50; public health good; health of plough cattle good; ploughing progressing rapidly; price of paddy Rs. 64 per 100 baskets.
Kyoukpyoo (July 26th)	12·26	Total rainfall up to date 78·32; public health and health of cattle good; half the district ploughed; a fourth of the district sown; cost of ploughing per acre, inclusive of hire of cattle and wages of labourers, Rs. 6.
Sandoway („ „)	18·17	Total rainfall up to date 95·11; public health good; ploughing and sowing progressing; about 4,218 acres ploughed; reports of area sown out in nurseries not received; ploughing wages Rs. 4-8 in northern township.
Hanthawaddy („ „)	.....	Public health and health of cattle good; ploughing progressing; price of paddy varying from Rs. 80, 85 and 95 per 100 baskets.
Pegu („ „)	6·11	Total rainfall up to date 54·41; public health good; slight cattle-disease in Pounglin township; ploughing and sowing progressing; price of paddy from Rs. 75 to Rs. 80 per 100 baskets.
Tharrawaddy („ „)	6·60	Total rainfall up to date 48·02; public health good; 38 deaths of cattle in two townships; health of plough cattle in all other townships good; ploughing and sowing progressing; ploughing wages from 30 to 70 baskets per man; price of paddy from Rs. 90 to Rs. 95 per 100 baskets.
Thonegwa („ „)	5·58	Total rainfall up to date 38·53; public health good; 1 death of cattle in Daybayeh township, otherwise health of plough cattle good; ploughing continues; some damage caused by crabs to nurseries in two townships.
Henzada („ „)	6·69	Total rainfall up to date 39·13; public health good; 7 deaths of cattle in Zaloon township; ploughing progressing, about one-half ploughed, one-seventh transplanted; general appearance of young plants good.
Thayetmyo („ „)	1·33	Total rainfall up to date 19·50; public health good; ploughing continues; transplanting going on.
Shwaygyin („ „)	11·82	Total rainfall up to date 66·75; public health good; 55 deaths of cattle in Zokeehake circle; ploughing progressing rapidly; area ploughed five-eighths of whole; sowing commenced generally; price of paddy Rs. 75 per 100 baskets.
		General Remarks.—Rainfall steady, but up to date less than recorded at same time last year; public health good; cattle-disease mild, and not on increase except in Amherst, where mortality is heavy; ploughing nearly completed; sowings well in hand and transplanting commenced; prices keeping steady.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week under report.	State of agricultural prospects.
Assam—(July 25th)		
Gauhati ...	·71	Weather hot and sultry; public health fair; cattle-disease in the interior; *ahu* paddy being reaped; rain much wanted for transplanting of *sali* paddy.
Sylhet ...	5·02	State and prospects of crops favourable; public health good; small-pox in part of the district.
Cachar ...	4·19	Weather very warm; transplanting *aus* crops nearly finished and that of *sali* crops progressing; common rice 16 seers per rupee; small-pox still reported; general health good.
Dibrugarh ...	4·93	Weather seasonable; transplanting of *sali* crop progressing; public health good.
Mysore and Coorg—(July 25th)		
Bangalore ...	2·5	Standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health good.
Mysore ...	1·0	Standing crops in good condition; prospects and health good.
Mercara ...	Heavy rain, 14·80	The Cauvery river in full flood; *ragi* crop in Nanjarajapatna taluk thriving; transplantation of rice commenced; second blossom of coffee failed; labour still scarce; work on coffee estates backward; price of food-grains stationary; public health good, save in Nanjarajapatna taluk where small-pox prevails.
		General Remarks.—Rain more or less in all districts; standing crops in good condition; prospects favourable; public health generally good; no material change in prices.
Berar & Hyderabad—(July 25th)		
Amraoti ...	·29	*Kharif* crops thriving; prospects good; wheat 16 and *juari* 26 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	2·44	Cotton being weeded, other crops progressing favourably.
Hyderabad ...	Average of week ·80	Total rainfall from 1st January 12·24; *kharif* crops prospering; *abi* sowings in some places commenced, in others ground being prepared; tanks have not yet received sufficient water; cholera prevails in two talukas—Asfnagar and Shahabad; no cattle-disease; prices of wheat 15, coarse rice 10¼, white *juari* 22¼, yellow *juari* 28¼, and *tur* 24¼ seers per current sicca rupee.
Central India States—(July 25th)		
Indore ...	·99	A break in the rains is desirable; a few cases of cholera, otherwise health good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	2·98	Health good; weather cloudy and cool.
Sutna ...	4·46; rain general	Health good.
Rutlam ..	.....	No report received.
Sehore ...	2·18	Weather cloudy, with occasional showers; crops and public health good.
Neemuch ...	·43	*Makka* and *juari* crops in progress; weather seasonable; public health good.
Goona ...	·62	Weather cloudy; *kharif* sowings completed; health good; wheat 24 seers per rupee.
Bhopal ...	.....	No report received.
Agar ...	.....	A severe epidemic of cholera in the Agar city.
Nowgong ...	3·71	Weather seasonable; *kharif* prospects good; cholera prevalent in parts; prices steady.
Bhopawar ...	.....	Prospects good; a break in the rains required.
Rajputana—		
Abu (July 25th)	3·64	Total rainfall to date 36·40; heavy clouds and high winds.
Sirohi („ 22nd)	1·78; satisfactorily light showers, but of frequent occurrence.	Tanks and wells full; health and crop prospects good; weather pleasant.
Marwar („ 20th)	·98	Tanks all empty, water obtained from wells with difficulty; health and crops good; weather still close and sultry; prices stationary.
Meywar („ 22nd)	·76	Tanks, wells, and health good; crop prospects very good; weather seasonable.
Harowti („ 21st)	Dimoli, 2·17; Tonk, 2·11; Kotah, ·98; previous week Kotah, 1·87; Shahpura, 1·58.	Few cases of sporadic cholera; sowings nearly completed; prospects favourable; health good; prices falling.
Jhallawar („ 20th)	1·35	*Makka* crops doing well; health fair.
Ajmere („ 24th)	·15	Crops looking well; a few cases of cholera and slight cattle-disease.
Jeypore („ „)	·70	Cholera abating; prices almost stationary.
Bhurtpore ...	.....	No report received.
Ulwar (July 24th)	Average, 2·64	Tanks and wells filling; 34 deaths from cholera in Ramgurh tahsil, in other tahsils cholera decreasing; *kharif* sowings continue.
Nepal—(July 20th)		
Katmandu ...	1·57	Agricultural prospects good; weather seasonable.

T. W. HOLDERNESS,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, &c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 17th March 1883.

From the 7th April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, and V of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Reports, will be published at Simla. After the 31st March, all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts, should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

Parts IV and V of the *Gazette of India*, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Council, may be subscribed for separately from the other Parts of the Gazette. The annual subscription for the two Parts is ₹5 per annum, payable in advance. When sent by post, ₹2-8 per annum additional will be charged for postage.

Complaints regarding non-receipt of any number of the *Gazette* should be forwarded within a week after the day on which it is due.

Applications for the supply of the *Gazette* on the *public service* should be addressed to the Home Department.

By an order of Government, all subscriptions must be paid *in advance*.

	R	a.	p.
Subscription for *Gazette* and Supplement per annum	15	0	0
Postage	5	8	0
Subscription for Supplement only	6	0	0
Postage	3	0	0
For a single copy of the *Gazette*	0	8	0
For a single copy of the Supplement	0	4	0

Postage on single copies varies according to weight.

E. J. DEAN,

Publisher, Gazette of India.

BANK OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

Calcutta, the 24th July 1883.

The Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors and Shareholders of the Bank of Bengal will be held at the Bank on Monday, the 13th proximo, at 3 P.M., for the transaction of the following business:—

I.—To receive the Directors' Report and the audited accounts up to the 30th June 1883.

II.—To elect two Directors in room of Mr. F. E. Patteson and Mr. L. P. D. Broughton, who go out by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.

III.—To elect two Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Board,

R. HARDIE,

Secretary & Treasurer.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Abu, the 16th July 1883.

No. 2364 *G.*—Mr. W. R. Lawrence, C.S., Assistant Agent, Governor General, Rajputana, is granted three months' privilege leave from the 15th July 1883, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

No. 2371 *G.*—Lieutenant G. H. J. Moore, Officiating Adjutant, Merwara Battalion, returned to duty on the 8th July 1883 from the privilege leave granted him in this Office Notification No. 1708 G., dated 29th May 1883.

The 18th July 1883.

No. 2429 G.—Surgeon-Major T. ffrench Mullen, M.D., Agency Surgeon, Ulwur, availed himself of privilege leave from the forenoon of the 12th May to the afternoon of the 10th July 1883.

By Order,

E. A. FRASER,

1st Asst. Agent to the Govr. Genl.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 21st July 1883.

No. 581.—In exercise of the powers invested in him by Section 5 of the Opium Rules sanctioned for the District of Ajmer-Merwara and published in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st April 1883, the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara is pleased to direct that the possession of Opium shall be restricted in the under-mentioned areas :—

(1) The Municipal limits of Ajmere.

(2) The Municipal limits of Kekri.

(3) The Municipal limits of Beawar.

(4) The Cantonment limits of Nusseerabad.

Notification No. 360, dated 28th May 1881, published in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th June 1881, is hereby cancelled.

By Order,

E. A. FRASER,

1st Asst. to the Chief Commr.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 21st July 1883.

No. 657-218.—Mr F. B. Dickinson, Deputy Conservator of Forests in Coorg, is granted privilegt leave of absence for three months, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. M. Muttanna, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests, will be in charge of the Office of the Deputy Conservator of Forests in Coorg, during the absence of Mr. Dickinson on leave, or until further orders.

By Order,

H. WYLIE, *Major,*

Secretary to the Chief Commr. of Coorg.

RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 16th July 1883.

No. 12.—This Office Notification No. 5, dated 25th May 1883, appointing Mr. J. H. A. Tremenheere, M.C.S., to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, during the absence on privilege leave of Colonel H. G. Thomson, is cancelled.

By Order,

H. WYLIE, *Major,*

Assistant to the Resident.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Presidency & Oudh Command.

Lucknow, the 14th July 1883.

No. 14.—With reference to Inspector General of Military Works' Notification No. 23, dated 22nd June 1883, Lieutenant F. H. Oldfield, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, has been posted to the Lucknow Division, Military Works, which he joined on the forenoon of the 10th July 1883.

H. McV. CRICHTON, *Major, R.E.,*

Supdg. Engr., Presdy. & Oudh Command, & Military Works.

CONSULTING ENGINEER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 21st July 1883.

Lieutenant G. K. Scott-Moncrieff, R.E., Officiating Deputy Consulting Engineer to Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Lucknow, passed, on 2nd July 1883, the examination in Persian by the Higher Standard as laid down in G. O. G. G , dated 9th September 1864.

C. H. LUARD, *Lieut.-Col., R.E.,*

Offg. Consg. Engr. to the Govt. of India for Guaranteed Railways.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 19th July 1883.

No. 34.—Mr. F. R. Tebbs, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Rajputana-Malwa Railway, has passed the Departmental Standard Examination in Hindustani, prescribed in Chapter II, Section i, paragraph 21, of the Public Works Department Code.

H. F. HANCOCK, *Col., R.E.,*

Offg. Director General of Railways.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY, Manager's Office.

NOTIFICATION.

Rawalpindi, the 23rd July 1883.

No. 2.—Mr. F. R. Upcott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, has been granted six days' subsidiary and fifteen months' furlough to England, with effect from forenoon of 25th June 1883.

H. JOHNSON, *M.I.C.E.,*

Offg. Manager.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 24th July 1883.

LIABILITIES.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		35,10,866	4	4
	R a. p.			
Public Deposits at Head Office	84,34,206 14 8	2,94,25,684	10	10
Public Deposits at Branches	2,09,91,477 12 2			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,23,48,238	2	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.		4,88,066	14	6
Sundries		9,98,459	15	2
RUPEES		7,67,71,315	15	3

ASSETS.		R	a.	p.
Government Securities		62,60,668	12	0
Other authorized Investments		54,71,835	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		1,09,01,663	11	9
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities		56,62,883	15	0
Bills discounted and purchased		1,71,02,390	14	2
Balances with other Banks		4,64,070	5	5
Bullion		5,008	9	2
Dead Stock		12,02,547	2	7
Stamps		7,340	12	0
Sundries		7,26,941	6	11
		4,78,05,350	9	0
	R a. p.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	1,03,94,685 2 1	2,89,65,965	6	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	1,85,71,280 4 2			
RUPEES		7,67,71,315	15	3

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 26th July 1883.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Depy. Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED ON		BALANCE OF BULLION		
		General Treasury.	Currency Department.	Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
1883.	R	R	R	R	R	R
July 16	2,33,762	...	...	5,10,373	28,08,678	15,21,188
" 17	...	...	2,95,367	2,34,420	31,10,381	18,22,892
" 18	...	...	...	2,34,120	31,10,381	18,22,892
" 19	...	...	562	2,33,893	31,10,955	18,23,406
" 20	...	...	28	2,33,865	31,10,984	18,23,495
" 21	...	...	...	2,33,762	31,10,984	18,23,495

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 23rd July 1883.

J. F. TENNANT, *Major-Genl., R.E.,*
Mint Master.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Bombay Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1883.		R	
W44	M 76—03121	1,000	Mowlabux, Bombay.

BOMBAY,
The 24th July 1883.

C. J. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acott. Genl., Paper Currency Department,
for *Commissioner of Issue.*

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
100	P 44—44734	100	The Assistant Inspector General, Government Railway Police, Howrah
101	P 44—52350	100	Inspector G. A. Meyers.
	" —52351	100	
102	P 44—44648	100	Babu Prasanna Chunder Mukerjee.
103	P 43—91494	100	Mrs. A. Yeatherd.
104	P 44—45629	100	Shaik Joomun.
	" —45630	100	
	" —55233	100	
	" —47195	100	
	" —47494	100	
	" —44531	100	
	" —48628	100	
107	P 9—94604	50	The Treasury Officer, Cuttack.
109	O 65—97412	50	Babu Ram Nuty Lal.
	P 43—53418	100	

J. TAYLOR,
Asst. Comptlr. Genl., in charge, Paper Currency.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th July 1883.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Regr. No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
8	E 20—34862	100	Captain J. Keane, 41, Park Street, Calcutta.

LAHORE,
The 21st July 1883.

G. C. WALKER,
for *Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 28th July 1883.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following mail despatches to Ceylon will be made from the Calcutta General Post Office during August 1883 :—

DATE OF CLOSING.	ROUTE.
3rd August 1883*	By B. I. S. N. Co.'s private vessel.
7th August 1883	By P. & O. Steamer from Bombay.
9th August 1883	By P. & O. Steamer from Calcutta.
17th August 1883*	By B. I. S. N. Co.'s private vessel.
20th August 1883*	By Star Line private vessel.
21st August 1883	By P. & O. Steamer from Bombay.
23rd August 1883	By P. & O. Steamer from Calcutta.
23rd August 1883	By French Steamer.
31st August 1883*	By B. I. S. N. Co.'s private vessel.
31st August 1883*	By Star Line private Vessel.

* These dates are subject to alteration in the event of departure of the vessels being delayed.

N.B.—The letter-box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M.

The rate of postage on letters conveyed by private vessels is two (2) annas per ½ oz. (prepayment compulsory).

The postage on letters conveyed by the P. & O. and French steamers is three (3) annas per ½ oz. (prepayment optional).

The 28th July 1883.

SEA AND FOREIGN MAILS.

Foreign Mails for	Date.	Per Steamer
	1883.	
Persian Gulf	3rd Aug.	From Bombay.
Maurus, Ceylon, and Intermediate Ports	2nd ,,	Str. *Sudhana.*
Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, Shanghai, Yokohama, and Australian Colonies	7th ,,	From Bombay.
Foreign Mails *viâ* Bombay	28th July	From Bombay.*
Foreign Mails *via* Bombay	4th Aug.	From Bombay.†
Do. Book Post and Pattern Packets	3rd ,,	From Bombay.
Rangoon and Moulmein	1st ,,	Str. *Kilwa.*
Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon	1st ,,	Str. *Mahratta.*
Port Blair and Camorta	2nd ,,	Str. *Maharani.*

* Also for South Africa *viâ* England; also *viâ* Aden for Mauritius, Mahé (Seychelles), Mayotte, Nossi Be and Réunion can be forwarded.

† Also for South Africa *viâ* England can be forwarded.

N.B.—The letter-box will close at 7 P.M. precisely, after which hour, foreign letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P.M.

E. HUTTON,
Presidency Post Master.

Report of a Deserter from the 1st Battalion, Regiment of Royal Welsh Fusiliers, dated at Dum-Dum, this 21st day of July 1883.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. 2588, Lance Corporal Thomas William Hemsley.
Age,—23 years 6 months.
Size,—5 feet ½ inches.
Colour of—
Complexion, fresh; Hair, brown; Eyes, grey.
Date of Desertion,—18th July 1883.
Place of Desertion,—Dum-Dum.
Date of Enlistment,—2nd March 1880.
At what Place Enlisted,—Brighton, Sussex.
Parish and County in which Born,—Ditchling, Brighton, Sussex.
Marks,—None.
Trade,—Waiter.
Coat or Jacket,— } Regimentals.
Waistcoat,— } Regimentals.
Breeches or Trowsers— } Regimentals.
REMARKS,—
Under 4 years' service.

C. ELGEE, *Colonel,*
Comdg. 1st Battn., R. W. Fusiliers.

Report of a Deserter from the 8-1st Cinque Ports Division, Royal Artillery, dated at Colaba, this 17th day of July 1883.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. 32150, Gunner Joseph Bell.
Age,—25 years 11 months.
Size,—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—
Complexion, fresh; Hair, dark brown; Eyes, grey.
Parish and County in which Born,—Bray, Dublin.
Marks,—Tattooing on both forearms.
Trade,—Bricklayer.
Coat or Jacket,— } Regimentals.
Waistcoat,— } Regimentals.
Breeches or Trowsers,— } Regimentals.
Date of Desertion,—15th July 1883.
Place of Desertion,—Colaba.
Date of Enlistment,—17th August 1881.
Place of Enlistment,—Clonmel.
REMARKS,—
Under 2 years' service.

HUGH W. PERRY, *Lieut.,*
Comdg. 8-1st C. P. D., R.A.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

This preparation is an efficient substitute for Quinine and can be purchased by Government officers for public and charitable purposes, and by any one taking *twenty pounds* at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Calcutta, *for cash only*, at the following rates :—per four ounce tin *R4-8*; per eight ounce tin, *R8-8*; per pound tin, *R16-8*. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanical Gardens, *for cash only*, at the under-noted rates :—per four ounce tin *R5-8*; per eight ounce tin *R10-8*; per pound tin, *R20*. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggist in Calcutta. Postage 8 annas per four and eight ounce tins, and 12 annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

گورنمنت سنکونا فبري فيوج

يهه دوا كوئيناڈين كا خوب قائم مقام هى اور كلكته كے بوٹانكل گارڈن يعنے كمپني باغ كے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے هرايك ملازم سركاري واسطے سركاري كام اور خيرات كے اور سيواے اونكے جو كوئي ايك مشت بيس پونڈ خريد ليئے سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد كرسكتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس كے ڈين كا چار روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس كے ڈين كا آٹهه روپيه آٹهه آنه ; يك پونڈ كے ڈين كا سوله روپيه آٹهه آنه'

اور عوام‌الناس بوٹانكل گارڈن يعنے كمپني با كے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے بقيمت نقد حسب نرخ ذيل خريد كرسكتے هين يعنے نرخ چار اونس ڈين كا پانچ روپيه آٹهه آنه ; آٹهه اونس كے ڈين كا دس روپيه آٹهه آنه ; ايك پونڈ كے ڈين كا بيس روپيه

يهه دوا كلكته كے بڑے بڑے ولايتي اور ديسي دوا خانونمين ڈكتي هى ماسيواے قيمت مذكورهٔ بالا كے محصول ڈاك چار اور آٹهه اونس كے ڈين كا آٹهه آنه ; اور ايك پونڈ كے ڈين كا باره آنه

Meteorological Publications for Sale.

The following publications of the Meteorological Office of the Government of India are on sale and can be procured at the Meteorological Office, No. 4, Middleton Row, or either at

Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., or at Messrs. Brown & Co., at the prices noted against them:—

	R	a.	p.
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1875, 4to, 89 pages text, 297 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1876, 4to, 97 pages text, 340 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1877, 4to, 173 pages text, 375 pages tables, 3 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India, in 1878, 4to, 149 pages text, 380 pages tables, 3 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1879, 4to, 164 pages text, 273 pages tables, 4 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Report on the Meteorology of India in 1880, 4to, 174 pages text, 286 pages tables, 6 plates, 4 charts	8	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part I, 4to, 118 pages, 9 plates	2	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part II, 4to, 63 pages, 4 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part III, 4to, 86 pages, 2 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part IV, 4to, 62 pages, 8 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I; Part V, 4to, 57 pages, 10 plates	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, Part VI, 4to, 62 pages	1	8	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. I, cloth bound, 4to, 438 pages, 33 plates	10	0	0
Indian Meteorological Memoirs, Vol. II, Part I, 4to, 78 pages, 9 plates	1	8	0
Rainfall Chart of India, showing the average annual distribution of rainfall (in colors)	1	0	0
Report on the Vizagapatam and Backergunge Cyclones, October 1876, 4to, 87 pages, 4 plates	2	0	0
Report on the Madras Cyclone, May 1877, 4to, 117 pages text, 97 pages tables, 4 plates	2	8	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1879, corrected and reduced	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1880, corrected and reduced	2	0	0
Register of Original Observations of six stations in India, in 1881, corrected and reduced	2	0	0

HENRY F. BLANFORD,

Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

THE INDIAN LAW REPORTS.

PUBLISHED UNDER AUTHORITY.

The "Indian Law Reports," published under the authority of the Governor General in Council, will appear in monthly parts, published as soon as possible after the first of each month at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, and Allahabad, and will comprise four series,—one for the Calcutta High Court, a second for the Madras High Court, a third for the Bombay High Court, and a fourth for the Allahabad High Court. The cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from each High Court will be reported in the Series for that High Court. Cases heard by the Privy Council on appeal from Provinces in India not subject to any High Court will be reported in the Calcutta Series. The Parts of each Series can be had separately, or all four Parts can be had stitched into one wrapper at the option of subscribers and purchasers. It will be observed from the following statement of the terms of subscription and sale, that a considerable reduction is allowed to persons taking the complete set:

Terms of subscription, payable annually in advance.

	Without Postage.	With Postage.
For the CALCUTTA SERIES	R35	R37-8
" MADRAS SERIES	" 8	" 9
" BOMBAY SERIES	" 8	" 9
" ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 8	" 9
Complete set	"45	"47-8

The price of each Part purchased separately will vary according to the amount of matter it contains, and will be printed on the wrapper. It will, however, never be below the following:—

For a Part of the CALCUTTA SERIES	R3	8
" " MADRAS SERIES	" 1	0
" " BOMBAY SERIES	" 1	0
" " ALLAHABAD SERIES	" 1	0
Complete set	" 4	0

Persons desiring to subscribe for or purchase the Reports, should apply to—

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK AND CO., CALCUTTA;
MESSRS. THACKER AND CO., BOMBAY;
MESSRS. HIGGINBOTHAM AND CO., MADRAS;
THE GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BOMBAY;
THE GOVERNMENT BOOK DEPOT, ALLAHABAD.

Orders and Subscriptions for 1883 should be at once remitted.

THE BENGAL LAW REPORTS.

A few sets of the Bengal Law Reports (Volumes 1 to 15) are available at Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta, at R375 a set.

In order to expedite the issue of the Indian Law Reports, it has been arranged that copies shall for the future be despatched direct both to officials and subscribers from the stations at which each series is published, *viz.*, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras and Allahabad. As regards the Calcutta series, this arrangement will take effect with the number for August, 1883.

☞ The following books may be purchased from the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, No. 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, for private use only, which should be stated in the requisition.

No orders can be attended to unless accompanied by a remittance. When postage stamps are forwarded, one anna additional should be sent for every Rupee's worth of stamps, for discount in exchanging them for cash. Service labels or Court Fee stamps are not received.

Books required for the public service cannot be supplied on payment; they are only issued on the authority of the Department to which the indenting officer is subordinate. Applications for them should be made through the Local Government under which the applicant serves.

Just published.

Moore's Manual of Family Medicine for India. *Price*—
To Government Officers (except those mentioned below) and to the public at large, *R1.*
To all Officers employed in Government departments who are in receipt of salaries under R500 per mensem, on a certificate being furnished declaring that the book is to be purchased only for the personal use of the officer, *R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Transport Regulations, Part II.

Transport of Troops, Inland. *Price, R2-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Now ready.

Army List—New Number.

The Official Quarterly Bengal Army List corrected up to 30th June 1883.

☞ *From January 1881 the price of the Army List has been reduced to 1 Rupee per copy; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Now ready.

Public Works Department Classified List and Distribution Return of Establishment, corrected up to 30th June 1883. *Price R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Preliminary Administration Report on the Railways in India for 1882-83 by Colonel F. S. STANTON, R.E., Director General of Railways. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

The Report of the Rent Law Commission, with draft of Bill to amend the Law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal, in two volumes. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Report of the Government of Bengal on the proposed amendment, with revised Bill and Appendices, in two volumes. *Price, R4; packing and postage, R1.*

Correspondence between the Government of India and the Secretary of State regarding the proposed amendment. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

The Bengal Tenancy Bill, with annexures. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

INDEX to the Enactments relating to India. Compiled, under the orders of the Government of India, by Stephen Jacob, B.C.S., to which are prefixed Chronological Tables of the Acts and Regulations of the Indian Legislatures.

Price reduced from R10 to R5; packing and postage, 12 annas.

Regulations for the Medical Department, Her Majesty's Forces, Bengal, 1882. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 6 annas; interleaved copy, R2-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Travelling Allowance Code (Civil), Revised Edition, 1883. *Price R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

A Manual of the Land Revenue Systems and Land Tenures of British India, by B. H. BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S. *Royal 8vo, half calf. Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

A Manual of Jurisprudence for Forest Officers, by BADEN-POWELL, B.C.S., royal 8vo., half calf. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 7 annas.*

Carbine and Rifle Exercises and Musketry Instruction for Native Troops, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Indian Appendix to the British Musketry Regulations, 1882. *Royal 32mo. Price, 12 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882. *Royal 8vo, Cloth gilt. Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Folio Foolscap.

Return of Wrecks and Casualties in Indian Waters for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, and 1881. *Price, R2 each; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Royal octavo, cloth, gilt.

The Commissariat Code for India, published under authority of the Government of India. *Price, R4; by post 8 annas extra.*

Fasciculus of forms referred to in the Code. *Price, R2; by post 14 annas extra.*

Compendium of Existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. Compiled by H. G. Whelan, Superintendent, Office of Examiner of Commissariat Accounts. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas. Interleaved copies, R6; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Appendices to the Compendium of existing Regulations, Commissariat Department, Bengal. *Price, R4 for plain copies, and R5 for interleaved copies; packing and postage, 6 annas and 9 annas respectively.*

Revised edition.

General Rules and Circular Orders of the High Court in Bengal, Appellate Side—Civil, R2-8; Criminal, R1-8; packing and postage, 5 annas and 3 annas respectively.

☞ Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to the public monthly, at R3 a year payable in advance.

P. W. D. Code, 4th Edition.

Vol. I.—(For the use of Sub-divisional as well as Divisional Officers)—
Chap. I. Organization of the Department.—II. Rules for candidates for appointment or promotion.—III. Duties of Departmental Officers.—IV. Rules affecting personal conduct.—V. Special Rules applicable to all branches.—VI. Office arrangements.—VII. Designs and Estimates.—VIII. Contracts.—IX. Execution of works.—X. Cash and stores.—XI. Public buildings.—XII. Accounts. *Price, R2-8; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. II.—(For the use of Divisional Officers)—
Chap. XIII. Executive Engineers' Accounts.—XIV. Duties of Examiner's Office.—XV. Budget Rules and Annual Reports.—XVI. Military Works.—XVII. Irrigation. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas: interleaved copies, R2-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Super-royal octavo, cloth.

Tribes of the Hindoo Koosh. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

The Civil Service Gradation List is no longer appended to the Army List, but is published separately, and may be obtained from Mr. H. W. Ronaldson, Civil Fund Office, Calcutta. *Price, R1; postage, 4 annas.*

Select Extra-Tropical Plants readily eligible for industrial culture or naturalisation, with indications of their native countries and some of their uses, by Baron Ferd. Von Mueller. Indian edition, 1880. *Price, R4; Packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Report on Cotton Gins, and on the cleaning and quality of Indian cotton, in two parts; by Dr. FORBES WATSON. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

West India Pilot, Volume II. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

THE INDIAN STATUTE-BOOK.

REVISED EDITION.

A.—General Acts.

Vol. I.—From 1834 to 1863.

Vol. II.—From 1864 to 1871.

Vol. III.—From 1872 to June 1876. *Price of each Volume, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

B.—Local Regulations and Acts.

Vol. IV.—The Madras Code, 1876. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. V.—The Oudh Code, 1877. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. VI.—The North-Western Provinces Code, 1877. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. VII.—The British Burma Code, 1877. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas*

Vol. VIII.—The Panjáb Code, 1878, *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. IX.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. I. 1878. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Vol. X.—The Lower Provinces Code, Vol. II, 1879. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Lower Provinces Code, 1882. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XI.—The Ajmer Code, 1879. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XII.—The Bombay Code, 1880. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XIII.—The Coorg Code, 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Vol. XIV.—The Central Provinces Code, 1881. *Price, R4-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

C.—Statutes.

Vol. XV.—The Statutes relating to India. Vol. I, 1285 to 1855. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. XVI.—The Statutes relating to India, Vol. II, 1856 to 1881. *Price, R8; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Supplement to the Statutes relating to India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Unrepealed Acts of the Governor General's Council from 1854 to date available separately.

[Applications for any of the above Volumes or Acts should, when the same are required for the public service, be made to the Local Government to which the applicant is subordinate, and the Local Government will, if necessary, forward such applications to the Legislative Department. Only persons wishing to purchase copies for private use should apply to this Office.]

Abstract of Proceedings of the Legislative Council of the Governor General from July 1882. *Annual subscription R5; postage, R1. Single issue 4 annas, including postage.*

In three volumes—super royal 8vo.

Punjab Customary Law, containing selection from the Records of the Punjab Government, Statements of Customary Law in different Districts, and Questions on Tribal and Local Custom. Edited by C. L. Tupper, C.S. *Price, R10 a set; packing and postage, 14 annas.*

The Book of Aids to Military Equitation practised at the Cavalry Riding Establishment, Canterbury. *Price, annas 4; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

The Civil Account Code, Vol. I. Second Edition, corrected to 31st October 1880. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

NOTIFICATIONS relative to the PUBLIC LOANS of the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, from 1822 to 1879. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Tables showing the remissions or reductions of Stamp Duty authorised since the passing of Act XXXVI of 1860. *Price, annas 2; by post, annas 3.*

Cantonment Regulations framed under Act XXII of 1864. *Price, annas 8; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Audit of Cantonment Funds. *Price, annas 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Selections from the records of the Government of India—

No. CLVI.—Report on the administration of the Baroda States for 1877-78. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXIX.—Ditto for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXIX.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLX.—The wheat production and trade of India. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

No. CLXIV.—Report on the administration of the Ajmere and Mhairwarra Districts for 1878-79. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXII.—Ditto for 1879-80. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

No. CLXXV.—Rajputana Dispensary, Vaccination, Jail and Sanitary Report for 1879. *Price, annas 12; packing and postage, annas 2.*

No. CLXXXIII.—Report on the Political administration of the Rajputana States, 1880-81. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Scientific results of the second Yarkund Mission—

Mollusca, R1-8; Geology, R1-8; Ichthyology, R3-8; Reptilia and Amphibia, R2-8; Hymenoptera, R1-8; Neuroptera, As. 12; Rhynchota, R2; Syringospha-erida-e, R2; Lepidoptera, R2; *packing and postage, 2 annas each.*

Ditto—Mammalia, R35; *packing and postage, 7 annas.*

A sketch of the Túrkí language as spoken in Eastern Turkistan (Kashghar and Yarkand), together with a collection of Extracts, by R. B. Shaw, F.R.G.S. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the demarcation and management of the Forests in Kulu with Map. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding the management of the Forests included in the Forest School Circle, N. W. Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Suggestions regarding Forest Administration in Assam. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

A Manual of Chinchona Cultivation in India, by Dr G. King, M.B., F.L.S. Second Edition, 1880. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Silk in India. Some account of Silk in India, especially of the various atttempts to encourage and extend sericulture in that country. Compiled by J. Geoghegan. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

Revised Edition.

Vanilla: its cultivation in India, by J. E. O'Conor. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Report on Public Instruction in Mysore for the year 1880-81. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Army Circulars (India).

A Monthly Publication. *Price, R3 per annum payable in advance.*

List of Changes in War Matériel and of Patterns of Military Stores which have been approved by the Government of India for Her Majesty's Army serving in India. A monthly publication. *Price, R4 per annum. Payable in advance.*

A Grammar of the Róng (Lepcha) language, by Colonel G. B. Mainwaring, B.S.C. *Price, R5; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Revised Army Regulations, corrected to 31st December 1879. *Price, R4; packing and postage, 8 annas; interleaved copies, R5; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Pay, Pension, and Promotion Code for the Military Services in India, corrected up to 18th February 1881.

Vol. I.—British Troops. *Price, R3; packing and postage, 8 annas; interleaved copies, R4; packing and postage, 12 annas.*

Vol. II.—Native Troops. *Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas; interleaved copies, R2; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

Alterations and additions to the Code will be issued monthly. Those who have already bought copies of the Code, may have the correction slips at the rate of one rupee annually. Those who may hereafter purchase the book will be supplied with the slips issued up to date free of charge, but must pay for subsequent issues.

Hand-book for the Andamans and Nicobars, revised up to the 1st April 1877. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 3 annas. Interleaved copy, Price, R1-8; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

PUBLICATIONS BY THE STATISTICAL BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Accounts relating to the Trade and Navigation of British India, from December 1866 to March 1883, in monthly parts. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Review of the Maritime Trade of British India with the other Countries for 1879-80, 1880-81, and 1881-82. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Annual Statements of the Trade and Navigation of British India.

Vol. I.—Foreign Trade.
For each year from 1876-77 to 1881-82.
Vol. II.—Coasting Trade; Trade of the French and Portuguese Possessions in India, and Trade of Aden.
For each year from 1876-77 to 1881-82.

Price, R5 per volume; packing and postage, 1 rupee.

Statistical Tables for British India, relating to Census, Emigration, Railways, Forests, Chinchona, Tea, Coffee and Cotton Cultivation, Cotton and Jute Mills, Breweries, Collieries, Joint Stock Companies, Salt and Customs Revenue, Foreign Trade and Shipping. Issues for 1880-81 and 1881-82. *Price, R3 per issue; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

Accounts of the External Land Trade of British India from April 1880 to March 1882, in quarterly parts. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Ditto for the three months, April to June 1882. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Ditto for the six months, April to September 1882. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Review of the External Land Trade of British India (namely of the Trade which crosses the Frontier of British India from Sindh to Burma) for 1878-79, 1879-80, 1880-81, and 1881-82. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Finance and Revenue Accounts of the Government of India for the years 1867-68; 1868-69; 1869-70; 1870-71.—*Price, R2; packing and postage, 2 annas for each year.*

Finance and Revenue Accounts and Miscellaneous Statistics relating to the Finances of British India, in three Parts. *Price, R9-8; packing and postage, Re. 1.*

Part I.—*R2-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*
Part II.—*R3-8; packing and postage, 6 annas.*
Part III.—*R3-8; packing and postage 8 annas.*

☞ *The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing, India, 166, Dhurrumtollah Street, Calcutta.*

A Manual of Tibetan, being a Guide to the Colloquial Speech of Tibet, in a Series of Progressive Exercises, by Major T. H. Lewin, F.R.G.S., of the Bengal Staff Corps, late Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling. *Price, R6; postage, 3 annas.*

Copies are to be had at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

Examination Paper for Station Masters, Goods Clerks, Booking Clerks, Guards, Signallers, and menials employed on State Railways, by Mr. G. S. LEONARD, Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.* To be had on application from the Manager, Northern Bengal State Railway, Saidpore.

Publications for Sale at the Bengal Secretariat Press.

Moore's Manual of Family Medicine for India, Fourth Edition. *Price—*

To Government Officers (except those mentioned below) and to the public at large, *R1.*

To all Officers employed in Government Departments who are in receipt of salaries under R500 per mensem, on a certificate being furnished declaring that the book is to be purchased only for the personal use of the officer, *R3; packing and postage, 6 annas.*

The Safe Use of Steam, in Bengali. *Price, 2 annas; postage, ½ anna.*

Distribution Return of Officers and Subordinates employed under District Road Cess Committees. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, 2 annas; postage, ½ anna.*

List of Officers of the Public Works Department, Bengal. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, 6 annas; postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

The Quarterly Civil List. Corrected up to 1st July 1883. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Reprint of the Report of the Rent Law Commission, with the draft of a Bill to consolidate and amend the law of Landlord and Tenant in Bengal. Vols. I and II. *Price, R3-8; packing and postage, 9 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers engaged in the Administration of the Salt Department. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Administration of Wards' and Attached Estates. Revised edition. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Board's Rules, or Rules for the guidance of Officers engaged in the administration of the Revenue Department in the Lower Province of Bengal. Revised edition, Vol. I. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R5; postage, 8 annas.*

Ditto ditto, Vol. II. *Price, R3; postage, 5 annas: interleaved copy, R3-8; postage, 8 annas.*

☞ *Printed slips containing alterations and additions will be available to purchasers monthly, at R2 per annum, including postage.*

Rules for the Lease of Waste Lands in Bengal, May 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 8 annas; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Opium Department. *Published by authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. Price, R3; postage, 2 annas.*

Bengali Translation of the Revised Salt Manual. *Price, 4 annas; postage, 6 pies.*

Civil Suits, 1880. Published by the authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Rules under the Cess Act, No. IX (B.C.) of 1880. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Pilots' Code of Signals, revised, enlarged, and arranged for use with three Geometrical Shapes in combination with the eighteen International Code Flags (on the plan of the Trinity Light-house Code), intended as a Supplement to the International Code of Signals. Also Calm or Line of Wind Signals; made with the above three shapes only. Concluding with the Morse Flashing Signals. Compiled by S. R. ELSON, Licensed Master Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service. Published by authority of the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 2 annas and 6 pies.*

The Bengal Embankment Manual: containing an account of the action of the Government in dealing with Embankments and Water-courses since the Permanent Settlement; a discussion of the principles of the Act of 1873; a reprint of the Act itself, with notes and appendices describing the present condition of Embankments under State control in Bengal, and the chief controversies concerning them. By HENRY LELAND HARRISON, B.A., C.S., late Mathematical Junior Student of Christ Church, Oxford. *Price, R2; with map, R3-4.*

The Factories' Act, XV of 1881, with Rules and Forms. *Price, 2 annas and 6 pies; packing and postage, ½ anna.*

Bengali Translations of the Rules and Notifications under the Arms Act issued by the Governments of India and Bengal. *Price, 2 annas; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Hindi Translation of the Rules and Noti-fications under the Indian Arms Act, 1878. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urya ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Urdu ditto ditto. *Price, As. 2; packing and postage, 1 anna.*

Annual Report on Inland Emigration for 1880-81. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Ditto ditto ditto for 1882. *Price, R1 per copy; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Papers regarding the Tea Industry in Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

List of the Trees, Shrubs, and large Climbers found in the Darjeeling District, Bengal. By J. S. GAMBLE, M.A., Assistant Conservator of Forests, Bengal. *Price, R1-8; postage, 1 anna.*

Report on the Census of Calcutta and its Suburbs, 1881. *Price R4; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1881-82. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1879-80. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1878-79. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R6; postage, 6 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1877-78. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3-8; postage, 4 annas.*

Report on the Internal Trade of Bengal for the year 1876-77. Published by the Government of Bengal. *Price, R5; Colored Map, R2-8.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Ganja in Bengal. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Collector, on special duty. *Price, R1-8; postage, 2 annas.*

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Jute in Bengal, and on Indian Fibres available for the Manufacture of Paper; with Map. By HEM CHUNDER KERR, Deputy Magistrate, on special duty. *Price, R8, postage, 7 annas.*

Report on the Food-grain Supply and Statistical Review of the Relief Operations in the distressed districts of Behar and Bengal during the Famine of 1873-74. By A. P. MACDONNELL, of the Bengal Civil Service. *Price, R3-8; postage, 6 annas.*

Prices of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in Bengal from 1866 to 1878, compiled in the Bengal Secretariat, Statistical Department. *Price, R2; packing and postage, 3 annas.*

Report on the Census of Bengal, 1872. By H. BEVERLEY, Esq., C.S., Registrar-General of Bengal. *Price, R10; postage, 9 annas.*

Report on the Effects of Artificial Respi-ration, Intravenous Injection of Ammonia, and Administration of various Drugs, &c., in India and Australian Snake-poisoning; and the Physiological, Chemical and Microscopical Nature of Snake-poisons. By the Commission appointed to investigate the subject. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

Memorandum on the Revenue History of Chittagong. By H. J. S. COTTON, Esq., Collector and Magistrate of Chittagong. *Price, R2-4; packing and postage, 4 annas.*

A Report on the District of Jessore: its Antiquities, its History and its Commerce. (Second Edition, Revised and Corrected.) By J. WESTLAND, Esq., C.S., late Magistrate and Collector of Jessore. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1881-82. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1879-80. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 10 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1878-79. *Price, R6; packing and postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1877-78. *Price, R4-8; postage, 8 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1876-77. *Price, R4-8; postage, 6 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1875-76. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1874-75. *Price, R4-8; postage, 7 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1874-75. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R2; postage, 2 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1873-74. *Price, R4; postage, 5 annas.*

The Bengal Administration Report for 1872-73. *Price, R7-8; postage, 10 annas.*

Map of Bengal, 1873. *Price, if taken with the Report, R1; separately, price, R2; postage, 2 annas.*

Report of the Vizagapatam and Backer-ganje Cyclones of October 1876. By J. ELIOT, Esq., M.A., Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal. *Price, R3; postage, 4 annas.*

The Winds of Northern India. By H. F. BLANFORD, Esq., Meteorological Reporter to Government. *Price, R1 per copy; postage, 2 annas.*

A Statistical Account of Bengal. By W. W. HUNTER, B.A., LL.D., Director-General of Statistics to the Government of India.

Vol.	I.	24-Pergunnahs and Sundarbans.
Vol.	II.	Nadiya and Jessore.
Vol.	III.	Midnapur, Hugli and Howrah.
Vol.	IV.	Bardwan, Bankura and Birbhum.
Vol.	V.	Dacca, Bakarganj, Faridpur and Maimunsing.
Vol.	VI.	Chittagong Hill Tracts, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tipperah and Hill Tipperah.
Vol.	VII.	Maldah, Rangpur and Dinagepur.

Vol. VIII. *Rajshahi and Bogra.*
Vol. IX. Murshidabad and Pabna.
Vol. X. Darjiling, Jalpaiguri and Kuch Behar State.
Vol. XI. Patna and Saran.
Vol. XII. Gaya and Shahabad.
Vol. XIII. Tirhut and Champaran.
Vol. XIV. Bhagalpur and Santal Parganas.
Vol. XV. Monghyr and Purniah.
Vol. XVI. Hazaribagh and Lohardaga.
Vol. XVII. Singbhum, Tributary States and Manbhum
Vol. XVIII. Cuttack and Balasor.
Vol. XIX. Puri and Tributary States of Orissa.
Vol. XX. Fisheries and Botany of Bengal, with General Index.
Vol. XX. General Index only.

Price, per volume, R4; postage, 5 annas.

Manual of Materia Medica in Urdu, compiled by SHAIK AKBAR ALLY, Civil Hospital Assistant, Dinapore. *Price, 8 annas per copy; packing and postage, 2 annas.*

Buddha Gayá, the Hermitage of Sákya Muni. By Rájendralála Mitra, LL.D., C.I.E., Honorary Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the Physical Class of the Imperial Academy of Sciences, Vienna; Corresponding Member of the German and of the American Oriental Societies; of the Royal Academy of Science, Hungary, and of the Ethnological Society of Berlin; Fellow of the Royal Society of Northern Antiquaries, Copenhagen, &c., &c. *Price, R30; packing and postage, R1-4.*

Further Notes on the Rungpore Records, Vol. II. By E. G. GLAZIER, Esq., C.S., Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore. *Price, R1; postage, 2 annas.*

Selection of Papers regarding the Hill Tracts between Assam and Burma, and on the Upper Brahmapooter. *Price, R5; postage, 4 annas.*

Selections from Divisional and District Annual Administration Reports, 1872-73, with the Government Resolutions on them. *Price, R5; postage, 6 annas.*

Selections from the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*, 1871 to 1874. *Price, R2-8; postage, 8 annas.*

Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the Dzo or Kuki Language. With Vocabularies and Popular Tales (notated). By Captain THOMAS HERBERT LEWIN, B.S.C., Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Hills. *Price, R6; postage, 8 annas.*

Notes on the History of Midnapore, as contained in records extant in the Collector's Office. By J. C. PRICE, Officiating Settlement Officer of Midnapore. Vol. I. *Price, R3; postage, 3 annas.*

Descriptive Ethnology of Bengal. By EDWARD TUITE DALTON, C.S.I., Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps; Commissioner of Chutia Nagpur; Member of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, &c. *Illustrated by Lithograph Portraits copied from Photographs.* Printed for the Government of Bengal, under the direction of the Council of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.

Price—Bound copies	R45	0	0
„ Unbound copies	„ 35	0	0

The Statistical Reporter, edited by H. J. S. COTTON, Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Vol. I, bound in full cloth, lettered	R10	0	0
Vol. II, ditto ditto	„ 10	0	0
Single copies of monthly Nos.	„ 2	0	0

Annual Statement of the Sea-borne Trade and Navigation of the Bengal Presidency, and of its Chief Port and each of the Subordinate Ports, with Foreign Countries, for the official year 1875-76. Vol. I. *Price, R12; postage, 10 annas.*

Rules for the Examination of, and grant of Certificates of Competency to, Masters, Mates and Engineers. *Price, R1; postage, 1 anna.*

Abstract of the Rules of the Road at Sea, in English. *Price, R1-4; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Ditto ditto in Arabic. *Price, R1; packing and postage, 1 anna 6 pies.*

Sanitary Primers in English and in Bengali. *Price, R6 per hundred, including transit and packing charges; single copies, 1 anna each.*

The Book named below having been declared a part of the obligatory equipment of Emigrant vessels, is now obtainable at the Bengal Secretariat Press at the price noted:—

West India Pilot, Vol. II	R6	0	0

☛ *Cash must be sent with order.*

Apply to Accountant, Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

The 9th February 1883.—The subscription to, and postage for, the *Calcutta Gazette* will henceforward be at the following rates, payable in advance:—

For the Mofussil.

	R	a.	p.	
Entire Gazette	15	0	0	per annum.
Postage	5	0	0	„
Supplement	6	0	0	„
Postage	3	0	0	„
Parts III, IV, V, and VI, containing the Acts and Bills of the Legislative Councils of India and Bengal	5	0	0	„
Postage	2	8	0	„

For a single copy—

Entire Gazette	0	8	0	
Postage	0	2	0	
Supplement	0	4	0	
Postage	0	1	0	
Parts III, IV, V, and VI	0	1	0	for 4 sheets or under with an additional charge of 1 anna for every 4 sheets in excess of 4.
Postage	0	1	0	

For Calcutta.

The same rates as those for the mofussil, with the exception of the charge for postage.

E. N. BAKER,
Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Gazette of India.

PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.

CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1883.

☞ Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost or Destroyed.

The lower half of the Government Promissory Note No. 094817, of the 4 per cent. of 1865, for R3,500, originally standing in the name of the Officer in charge of the Treasury, Indore, and last endorsed to Resident, Gwalior, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietor.

Stolen

The Government Promissory Note, No. 017039, of the 4 per cent. loan of 1835-36, for R500. Payment of the above Note and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate.

For the Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta,

H. P. CAMPBELL.

SUPPLEMENT TO

The Gazette of India.

№ 30.} CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1883.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT *to the* GAZETTE OF INDIA *will be published from time to time, containing such Official Papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as may usefully be made known.*

Non-Subscribers to the GAZETTE *may receive the* SUPPLEMENT *separately on a payment of six Rupees per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or nine Rupees if sent by Post.*

No Official Orders or Notifications, the publication of which in the GAZETTE OF INDIA *is required by Law, or which it has been customary to publish in the* CALCUTTA GAZETTE, *will be included in the* SUPPLEMENT. *For such Orders and Notifications the body of the* GAZETTE *must be looked to.*

DEPARTMENT OF

PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Districts.	Wheat. Present fortnight.	Wheat. Past fortnight.	Wheat. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Barley. Present fortnight.	Barley. Past fortnight.	Barley. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (best sort). Present fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Past fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (common). Present fortnight.	Rice (common). Past fortnight.	Rice (common). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*. Present fortnight.	Great Millet. Past fortnight.	Great Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*. Present fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Past fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch
...jam	11 13	10 5	11 13	...	...	...	17 13	17 13	17 13	22 13	22 13	19 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
...agapatam	14 0	13 8	8 0	...	...	...	9 8	8 6	9 0	11 5	11 5	11 5	25 14	24 13	21 10	21 13	23 13	19 1
...davery	...	10 13	12 10	...	...	...	...	10 14	13 14	...	14 0	17 0	...	23 0	27 13	...	...	...
...tna	8 13	9 5	14 11	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 3	14 11	14 11	16 13	20 5	17 3	25 0	...	...	...
...llore	9 0	5 13	13 8	...	...	...	13 6	11 14	15 13	...	15 0	18 0	20 10	20 3	33 10	18 11	...	...
...ldapah	12 8	14 11	14 11	...	...	...	12 6	12 6	11 14	13 5	13 5	13 5	28 6	28 6	26 14	30 6	31 14	31 1
...antapur	13 6	13 6	14 6	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	15 0	12 5	12 5	16 3	30 14	30 14	30 14	30 2	30 2	18 1
...llary	16 5	17 5	16 5	...	...	...	12 5	12 5	12 5	13 8	13 8	13 8	36 0	35 0	31 14	29 2	28 3	25
...rnool	12 6	13 5	13 6	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	9 14	11 6	11 13	11 6	32 14	32 14	27 6	30 0	30 0	22
...dras	11 5	11 5	10 2	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	13 8	15 2	15 2	15 2	21 10	21 10	23 0	25 2	25 2	26
...ingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 14	14 3	15 0	15 8	15 8	15 14	...	...	...	21 2	21 2	...
...rth Arcot	9 11	9 11	11 14	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	15 0	16 14	17 14	16 14	29 2	29 2	32 13	26 6	28 0	29 1
...uth Arcot	10 14	10 8	10 2	...	...	...	16 8	16 2	15 11	17 2	17 2	16 10	...	...	...	26 3	25 13	27 1
...njore	11 6	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	17 13	17 6	18 5	...	...	...	31 13	35 0	35 13	30 6	31 14	31 1
...chinopoly	10 10	10 10	9 14	...	...	...	15 13	15 13	16 3	16 5	16 5	16 11	...	...	28 0	26 1	30 8	27 1
...dura	12 2	12 8	11 11	...	...	...	16 0	16 6	15 8	16 8	17 11	16 0	40 8	32 6	30 13	35 5	32 5	30 1
...nevelly	9 14	9 14	9 3	...	...	...	15 2	16 5	15 8	16 0	17 10	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...imbatore	14 13	13 14	12 5	...	...	...	14 6	13 14	13 8	15 6	14 14	14 8	26 2	27 0	26 2	28 10	27 0	35
...lgiris	10 10	10 10	9 14	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	9 10	12 0	12 0	11 3	20 0	20 0	20 0	19 10	21 0	19 1
...lem	14 6	14 6	12 11	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	14 10	16 0	16 0	15 10	29 2	29 2	29 2	26 8	26 8	23 1
...uth Canara	8 3	8 3	8 10	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	9 11	11 13	11 13	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
...alabar	8 10	8 10	7 3	...	...	...	14 10	14 10	15 0	15 13	15 13	15 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...mbay	10 11	10 9	10 2	25 8	23 11	16 12	8 3	8 2	7 7	11 4	12 6	12 13	19 4	18 15	19 3	15 5	15 1	15 1
...hmedabad	12 0	12 0	12 8	19 8	20 0	...	7 8	7 8	6 8	12 0	12 0	8 0	17 8	17 0	17 0	15 0	15 0	14
...aira	11 7	11 7	11 7	21 5	21 5	20 0	9 11	9 11	9 2	16 0	16 0	14 9	16 0	17 12	16 0	14 4	14 14	14
...rat	11 1	11 6	11 9	12 5	12 7	7 7	7 8	7 9	7 7	8 7	8 7	8 5	19 1	19 1	14 14	14 1	14 3	14 1
...roach	12 4½	12 4½	12 5	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 6½	11 7	11 7	12 9	16 0	16 0	15 4	13 14	13 14	13 1
...nna (Salsette)	9 12	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	8 3	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 10	18 10	18 10	15 0	15 0	15
...olába (Alibág)	9 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	12 8	14 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
...handesh (Dhulia)	14 0	14 0	14 9	...	...	...	7 10	8 1	7 4	9 15	12 10	10 15	16 0	16 0	23 13	14 4	14 4	18 14
...ásik	14 4	14 4	15 8	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	7 7	13 6	13 6	12 0	22 6	22 6	...	15 5	15 5	21
...hmednagar	13 6	13 2	14 0	...	...	...	9 6	9 3	10 0	13 12	12 2	12 6	22 0	21 14	27 6	17 6	16 12	22
...oona	12 8	12 10	12 10	9 4	9 4	...	9 13	9 13	11 0	11 0	11 10	12 4	19 9	19 9	21 12	16 2	16 2	18
...holápur	14 8	14 8	14 1	...	...	...	10 6	10 15	10 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	26 12	25 14	31 1	22 0	20 3	28 1
...nládgi (Bagalkot)	17 8	18 12	19 0	15 8	17 0	15 0	6 12	6 12	6 8	10 12	10 12	9 0	25 8	27 0	33 0	24 0	26 0	29
...atara	11 0	12 1	12 1	...	...	...	8 9	8 14	9 11	10 6	11 7	11 7	17 0	16 5	25 5	15 14	15 8	22
...elgaum	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...harwar (Hubli)	23 0	23 0	21 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	11 0	24 0	23 0	24 0	26 0	24 0	23
...atnágiri	9 14	9 14	10 9	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	7 13	14 2	14 2	12 11	...	20 13	18 3	13 8	14 11	14 1
...anara (Karwar)	11 8	11 8	9 0	1 6	1 6	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	12 4	12 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...
...ánch Mahals (Godhra)	11 6	11 6	11 6	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	11 6	15 0	15 0	15 0	22 13	22 13	22 8	16 0	16 0	16
...den	9 5	9 5	8 0	...	...	...	6 3	6 3	6 3	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 7	12 7	11 3	11 3	11 3	9
...irgarh	13 6	13 9	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 2	11 0	14 4	14 8	12 0	18 0	18 6	23 11	17 14	18 5	24
...aroda	9 5	9 5	10 8	14 0	15 3	14 0	7 14	8 3	8 12	11 10	11 11	11 10½	15 2	15 3	16 5½	13 6	13 7	14
...isa	13 8	13 8	13 4	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	6 6	9 0	9 0	8 11	17 0	17 0	17 13	16 13	17 0	16
...imach	15 4	15 4	14 0	21 0	21 0	16 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 4	10 0	20 0	19 0	17 0	12 0	12 0	16
...asirabad	16 12	16 8¾	16 1	23 6½	23 0	21 11¼	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	22 8	22 10	23 5½	17 8	17 8	17 4
...ájkot	13 12	14 2	12 4	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	9 0	10 12	11 0	17 6	17 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	12 1
...pper Sindh Frontier	14 4	14 4	14 4	25 8	25 8	26 0	12 4	13 4	11 4	16 4	17 8	20 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	28
...arachi	13 0	13 13	12 5	23 0	22 0	21 8	9 5	9 0	9 8	16 0	17 0	15 0	23 0	24 0	22 0	18 0	17 0	18
...laidarabad (Nakur)	16 0	16 0	16 0	30 0	35 0	25 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	20 0	18 0	20 0	28 0	30 0	26 0	25 0	26 0	25
...hikarpur	14 6	14 2	13 14	27 9	25 12	25 10	12 4	12 13	13 2½	19 0	19 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	25 7	31 8	30 0	29
...ukkur	14 8	14 8	14 12	29 8	29 8	28 8	12 8	12 8	11 12	19 8	19 8	19 8	29 8	29 8	27 8	27 8	26 8	24
...har & Parkar (Umarkot)	14 0	14 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	13 15	...	...	...	16 8	16 8	18 1
Western Districts.																		
...urdwan	16 0	15 8	14 0	20 0	30 0	40 0	18 12	19 0	21 5	23 13	24 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...ancoorah	13 12	14 0	13 12	19 0	19 0	17 0	18 8	18 12	28 8	24 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...eerbhoom	15 0	15 12	14 0	...	...	...	18 0	16 8	21 0	22 8	21 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...idnapore	14 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	...	18 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...ooghly	13 8	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 8	18 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...owrah	13 4	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 4	14 8	16 0	19 8	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

a In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Culna 13-8 seers, Cutwa 11 seers and Raneegunge 13 seers.
b Retail price of salt at Raipore 11 seers, Sonamukhi 12 seers, and Mejia, Bishenpore, Indas and Kotulpore 13 seers.
c In the interior retail prices of salt range from 9 to 13 seers.

ICE AND COMMERCE.

DIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE 1883.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

...er Millets, Ragi, &c. ...avaru, Veragu, Sawee, ...eena, Coraloo, Murn-..., Nuglee), *Panicum ...ilaceum*, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt. Wholesale.			Salt. Retail.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.		
Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter or Blacksmith.
Ch. S. Ch.	S. Ch.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R. a. p.	R. a. p	R.
3 35 3	35 3		40 0	40 0	26 10	215 13	215 13	215 13	..	...	...	13 13	13 13	13 13	3 12 0	6 0 0	12 0
3 22 3	21 3		32 13	32 13	24 10	87 8	87 8	93 5	14 10	14 10	15 3	14 5	14 5	14 10	5 0 0	6 0 0	11 0
. 29 2	28 3		...	31 8	25 3	...	194 6	194 6	...	13 8	14 10	...	13 8	14 10	..	...	...
8 23 8	35 5		26 13	27 6	25 2	145 13	145 13	145 13	15 11	15 11	16 0	15 3	15 3	15 11	6 0 0	7 0 0	15 0
11 28 3	36 6		23 2	23 2	27 5	93 5	93 5	186 10	15 13	15 14	14 13	15 13	15 14	14 13	3 0 0	5 0 0	13 0
0 31 8	31 8		34 6	34 6	27 8	194 6	194 6	194 6	17 2	17 2	16 10	16 10	16 10	16 3	7 8 0	7 8 0	15 0
0 31 0	30 8		38 2	38 2	35 13	..	...	..	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	14 5	..	...	...
0 34 14	29 2		33 10	35 13	28 0	94 13	94 13	97 3	15 13	15 13	15 13	15 8	15 8	15 8	4 0 0	5 0 0	15 0
. 32 3	...		26 3	28 8	24 6	186 10	179 13	202 3	14 6	14 6	14 6	14 0	14 0	14 0	3 0 0	5 0 0	15 0
0 26 0	27 6		26 8	26 8	26 2	86 5	86 5	81 6	16 14	16 14	16 11	16 8	16 8	16 3	5 0 0	5 8 0	13 0
11 24 11	27 6		25 0	25 11	24 13	92 5	92 5	92 5	17 13	17 13	17 0	17 5	17 5	13 5	4 0 0	5 0 0	13 0
13 32 8	32 8		30 14	31 8	28 10	140 0	140 0	140 0	15 6	15 6	14 13	14 13	14 13	14 5	5 0 0	8 0 0	15 0
0 26 10	30 3		29 5	28 13	28 13	201 11	201 11	201 11	18 6	17 8	19 5	18 0	16 10	18 14	5 10 0	5 0 0	13 0
3 36 3	39 5		28 0	29 11	29 11	194 6	194 6	194 6	14 11	15 10	15 10	14 11	14 11	15 3	1 15 4	4 0 0	11 0
11 32 11	32 11		30 13	32 5	33 14	97 3	97 3	97 3	17 13	17 13	17 13	17 0	17 0	17 0	4 0 0	6 8 0	10 0
13 40 5	32 8		37 6	38 5	42 11	155 8	155 8	170 2	17 5	17 13	16 2	16 13	16 13	15 14	4 0 0	7 8 0	20 0
. ...	...		39 10	39 10	29 11	70 0	70 0	81 10	18 11	18 11	18 11	18 5	18 5	18 5	6 4 0	6 0 0	14 0
0 31 3	32 13		32 5	32 5	30 6	131 3	131 3	131 3	15 2	15 2	14 2	14 10	14 10	13 10	7 8 0	7 8 0	18 [illegible]
10 21 10	20 3		23 3	24 14	20 11	161 13	161 13	121 8	13 0	13 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	27 [illegible]
8 32 8	30 13		39 6	39 6	35 8	151 10	151 10	151 10	16 0	16 0	15 6	15 6	15 6	14 5	2 8 0	6 0 0	23 [illegible]
10 17 10	22 0		22 3	22 3	21 3	111 13	111 13	116 10	15 6	15 6	11 0	14 11	14 11	10 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	21 4
14 21 14	19 11		26 14	26 14	24 6	121 8	121 8	121 8	14 6	14 6	14 6	13 8	13 8	13 8	9 6 0	11 4 0	18 12
4 15 4	21 4		16 0	15 13	16 12	62 6	62 6	71 10	14 6	16 12	14 5	14 6	14 6	14 5	9 8 5	11 0 0	32-8 to [illegible]
...	...		14 8	16 0	20 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	16 8	16 8	16 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	25 0
...	...		16 0	16 0	20 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	7-8 to [illegible]
...	...		14 0	14 0	16 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	13 9	13 9	13 9	4-0 to 7-0	6-0 to 12-0	15-0 to [illegible]
...	...		13 14	13 14	16 0	106 0	106 0	106 0	15 9	15 9	15 4	14 8½	14 8½	15 4	5 0 0	8 0 0	16 0
11 25 11	25 11		13 4	13 4	14 15	71 1	71 1	71 0	14 5	14 5	14 5	13 4	13 4	12 12	9 0 0	10 0 0	25-0 to [illegible]
...	...		11 8	11 8	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	15 0	14 8	12 0	14 8	14 0	11 0	7 8 0	10 0 0	20 0
...	...		15 2	16 0	17 1	140 0	140 0	140 0	15 0	16 0	15 2	14 14	15 4	15 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	15 0
11 20 11	30 0		17 0	17 0	18 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	15 8	15 8	14 6	15 5	15 5	14 2	8 0 0	6 0 0	15-0 to [illegible]
...	...		18 6	18 10	19 7	79 12	89 4	91 5	14 14	14 10	14 9	14 10	14 6	14 7	6 0 0	9 0 0	15 0
6 15 6	...		16 2	16 2	17 4	68 0	68 0	68 0	13 10	13 10	13 10	13 6	13 6	13 6	6 0 0	10 0 0	12-0 to [illegible]
...	...		20 1	19 3	20 13	64 0	74 2	85 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 4	13 4	12 0	6 0 0	9 0 0	20-0 to [illegible]
...	...		16 8	18 0	15 8	100 0	100 0	110 0	11 0	11 2	11 4	10 8	10 12	11 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	15 0
...	...		16 14	16 14	14 5	116 8	116 8	110 15	13 2	13 13	12 6	12 6	13 2	11 10	6 0 0	10 0 0	10-0 to [illegible]
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
0 28 0	28 0		17 0	18 0	12 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	8 12	9 8	8 12	8 0	9 0	8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	12-0 to [illegible]
3 21 2	21 2		14 11	14 0	14 0	150 0	150 0	120 0	14 6	14 6	11 13	14 4	14 4	11 10	5 8 0	9 0 0	14 0
0 16 0	21 0		12 8	12 8	12 0	213 5	213 5	213 5	12 0	12 8	11 8	11 0	11 8	10 8	8 7 0	7 8 9	18-12 to [illegible]
0 26 10	23 0		22 13	22 13	25 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 4	15 4	15 4	5 10 0	7 0 0	18 12
...	...		9 5	9 5	9 5	65 5	65 5	65 5	...	...	...	32 0	32 0	32 0	...	...	...
...	...		18 0	18 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 14	12 0	12 4	11 14	12 0	12 4	6 0 0	6 0 0	15 0
8 ...	...		14 9	15 3	17 8	...	...	81 10½	14 6	14 5	14 4½	14 0	14 0	14 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	22 8
...	...		16 9	17 0	18 8	137 8	137 8	137 8	12 8	12 8	13 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	5 10 0	7-0 to 8-0	18 12
...	...		20 0	19 8	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...
...	...		25 6¼	25 0	22 3¼	80 0	80 0	85 0	16 2	16 2	16 6¼	15 8	15 8	16 0	6-0 to 7-0	6-0 to 9-0	10-0 to [illegible]
...	...		16 0	16 0	16 4	75 0	85 0	80 0	60 0	60 0	50 0	50 0	50 0	48 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	15-0 to [illegible]
0 60 0	40 0		24 8	24 8	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 12½*	12 12½*	12 5*	12 8*	12 8*	12 4*	...	...	...
0 9 8	11 0		18 8	18 0	17 0	105 0	105 0	105 0	17 12	17 13	17 13	17 0	17 0	17 0	5-0 to 8-0	8-0 to 11 0	25 0
0 24 0	24 0		22 0	22 0	15 0	320 0	320 0	480 0	14 8	14 8	14 0	14 8	14 8	14 0	...	...	...
...	...		22 0	23 12	20 0	220 0	260 0	280 0	13 14	13 8	13 2	13 12	13 6	13 0	...	...	...
...	...		23 8	23 8	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	30 0
...	...		...	...	...	120 0	120 0	160 0	14 12	14 12	10 11	14 12	14 12	10 11	7-8 to 11-4	18-12 to 37-8	18-12 to [illegible]
									Prices per md. of 40 seers.								
									R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.						
...	...		22 0	21 0	23 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 1 0	3 1 3	2 13 0	12 4*a*	12 0	13 12	7 8 0	6 8 0	10-0 to [illegible]
...	...		18 0	18 8	20 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	3 3 6	3 3 6	3 4 0	12 0*b*	12 0	12 1	6-0 to 9-0	4 8 to 6-8	7-8 to [illegible]
...	...		21 0	21 0	23 8	160 0	200 0	160 0	3 12 6	3 10 3	3 4 0	10 0*c*	10 8	12 8	4 0 0	5 0 0	10 0
...	...		16 0	16 0	19 0	155 0	155 0	160 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	13 0*d*	13 0	13 8	6 1 6	6 0 0	7-8 to 10
...	...		17 0	17 0	21 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	13 9*e*	13 9	13 9	...	...	
...	...		16 8	17 0	20 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	14

* In common use.

d In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Ghattal 12-8 seers, and Tumlook and Contai 11 seers.

e In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Serampore 13-5 seers and Jehanabad 13-8 seers.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Districts.	Wheat. Present fortnight.	Wheat. Past fortnight.	Wheat. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Barley. Present fortnight.	Barley. Past fortnight.	Barley. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (best sort). Present fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Past fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (common). Present fortnight.	Rice (common). Past fortnight.	Rice (common). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*. Present fortnight.	Great Millet. Past fortnight.	Great Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*. Present fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Past fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Central Districts.																		
Calcutta	14 0	14 4	14 0	20 0	19 6	26 8	10 5	10 5	10 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	...
24-Pergunnahs	13 5	13 5	12 0	16 0	16 0	21 4	8 0	8 0	10 0	16 12	14 0	17 0	...	...	20 0	...	...	...
Nuddea	14 8	14 8	14 8	...	22 15	26 0	15 4	15 4	17 4	16 13½	17 4	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	25 0	25 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore	14 8	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 12	22 12	22 12	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moorshedabad	15 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	17 12	19 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dinagepore	13 8	11 0	13 0	...	11 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	19 8	20 6	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajshahye	16 8	16 8	13 8 to 18 0	30 0	30 0	46 12	13 8 to 16 0	13 8 to 16 0	18 0 to 18 12	17 4 to 18 0	17 4 to 18 0	21 12 to 24 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rungpore	11 7	11 7	16 0	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 3	17 3	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bogra	15 0	15 0	17 4	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 8	24 0	24 0	28 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pubna	19 8	19 8	18 12	...		...	8 0	8 0	10 0	19 8	17 4	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Julpaiguri	10 0	10 0	9 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 8	13 4	16 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Districts.																		
Dacca	12 4	14 8	12 4	18 12	19 0	32 0	15 8	15 12	22 0	19 4	19 4	26 12	...	...	...	19 0	...	...
Furreedpore	20 0	20 0	22 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	21 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh	11 8	12 0	11 8	...	...	...	16 0	13 0	22 8	17 8	17 8	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tipperah	11 6	12 12	11 8	...	...	...	18 8	17 8	22 0	19 4	20 0	28 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong	12 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Noakholly	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	27 0	22 0	22 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	16 0	13 5	13 4	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	17 0	16 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Behar.																		
Patna	17 8	17 8	16 8	32 0	32 0	34 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	19 0	19 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gya	20 8	20 0	17 0	26 0	27 0	28 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shahabad	17 0 to 18 0	17 0 to 18 0	15 15½ to 17 0	25 0	27 0	30 0	11 0 to 12 0	11 8 to 12 0	20 0 to 21 0	15 0 to 16 0	15½ 0 to 16 0	22 0	...	25 0	...	32 0	30 0	...
Durbhunga	17 0	17 0	14 0	37 0	35 0	35 0	13 8	13 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mozufferpore	18 0	17 0	16 0	30 0	28 0	30 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sarun	17 0	17 0	15 8	27 0	27 0	30 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	30 0	29 0	32 0	...	...	...
Chumparun	19 0	19 0	18 0	36 0	40 0	36 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	18 10	18 14	16 12	27 14	31 8	34 9	13 14	14 10	15 12	15 12	16 12	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhágulpur	16 6	16 6	14 8	27 12	27 8	30 4	15 2	15 12	18 15	17 10	17 10	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Purneah	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maldah	17 0	17 8	16 0	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sonthal Pergunnahs	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.																		
Cuttack	13 2	11 13	14 7	...	...	...	13 2	14 7	17 1	22 5*	23 10	27 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pooree	13 2	13 2	11 4	...	...	...	20 0	21 0	22 0	23 10	23 10	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balasore	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	26 0	28 0	28 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPORE.																		
South-Western Frontier Agency.																		
Hazáribágh	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lohardugga	16 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	26 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Singbhoom	18 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	32 0	28 0	36 0	32 0	36 0	40 0	36 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbhoom	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	19 0	27 0	27 0	34 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior retail prices of common rice vary from 31-8 to 30-6 seers.
f In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 10-8 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
g In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kooshtea 12-12 seers, Meherpore 12 seers and Choondanga 12-8 seers and Ranaghat 13 seers.
h In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers.
i In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Jhenidah, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
j In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungipore 10 seers, and Kandi 11-8 seers.
k Retail prices of salt at Raigunge 11-8 seers and Neetpore 12 seers.
l In Nattore and Nowgong retail price of salt 12 seers.
m In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Gaibanda 10 seers, Nilphamari 12 seers.
n In Serajgunge retail price of salt 12 seers.
o Retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers and Silligoree 10 seers.
p Retail Price of salt at Fallacotta in Alipore sub-division 10 seers.
q In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10-11 chittacks, and Naraingunge 13-4 seers.
r In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Goalundo 10-8 seers, Madaripore 14 seers, Bhanga 11 seers, and Gopalgunge 12-12 seers.
s In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Patuakhali 10-10 seers, Ferozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.
t In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kishoregunge 10-10 seers, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11 seers, and Nitrokona 12-5 seers.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.																						AVERAGE WAGES PE MONTH.		
er Millets, Ragi, &c. avaru, Veragu, Sawee, eens, Coraloo, Murh-, Nagleel, *Panicum miliaceum*, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.															
									Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.						Retail.									
	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.				Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.				Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.				S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.				R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
	...	...	17 12	17 12	23 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0				14 0	14 0	14 9				15 0 0	7 0 0	12 0 0
	...	...	18 12	16 0	18 8	90 0	80 0	80 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 12 0				13 5	13 5	14 8				...	..	...
	...	...	20 0	20 0	22 0	...	...	..	3 0 0	3 1 11	2 12 1				11 10½	11 10½	12 13½				6 0 0	6 0 0	7-8 to 15-
	...	...	16 0	16 0	12 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0				10 8½	11 0	11 0				9-0 to 12-0	6-0 to 8-0	10-0 to 18-
	...	...	20 0	20 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0				10 12	11 0	11 8				7 8 0	6 0 0	13-0 to 18-
	...	...	23 0	27 0	25 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	...	3 4 0	3 2 0				10 0	12 0	12 8				5 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0
	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	3 5 0				11 8	11 8	12 0				6-0 to 7-0	5-0 to 8-0	8-0 to 20-
	...	...	21 0	21 0	24 12	240 0	240 0	240 0	...	3 12 9	3 4 0				11 4	10 8	12 0				5 0 0	5 0 0	7-0 to 15-
	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	110 0	110 0	135 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 3				11 14	11 14	11 8				...	...	...
	...	...	15 12	15 12	18 12	60 0	67 8	67 8	3 8 0	3 6 8	3 2 8				10 8	10 8	12 0				5-0 to 6-0	6 0 0	10-0 to 15-
	...	...	17 8	18 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 0 0				12 0	11 4	12 0				6-0 to 7-0	6-0 to 7-8	11-0 to 20-
0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0				8 0	8 0	8 0				...	...	...
	...	...	16 0	14 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 4 0				11 0	11 0	11 0				7 8 0	7 0 0	15-0 to 20-
	...	...	18 8	14 8	21 0	100 0	90 0	91 4	3 4 0	3 2 0	2 15 0				12 0	12 4	13 5				5-0 to 6-0	5-0 to 6-0	8-0 to 20-
	...	...	16 0	16 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	..	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 5 4				11 8	12 0	11 0				8 8 0	7 0 0	15 0 0
	...	...	18 0	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 11 0				13 0	13 0	10 9				7 8 0	6 0 0	8-0 to 15-
	...	...	15 9	13 4	16 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0				12 0	12 4	12 8				8-0 to 9-0	6 0 0	12-0 to 30-
	...	...	12 12	13 14	17 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 4 0				11 8	12 4	12 8				6-0 to 9-0	5-0 to 7-0	7-0 to 16-
	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	40 0	40 0	80 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	2 14 0				9 0	9 0	13 0				7-8 to 11-4	6-0 to 7-8	7-8 to 10-
	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 2 0				10 0	10 0	11 0				...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 8 0				6 4	6 1	10 0				...	...	...
	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0				11 0	11 0	10 0				7 8 0	6 0 0	13 0 0
	...	...	29 8	29 8	30 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0				10 8	10 8	10 9				...	...	...
	...	...	23 8	25 0	26 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	...	3 5 0	3 4 0				12 0	12 0	11 8				2-8 to 3-0	3-0 to 5-0	6-0 to 8-0
	...	...	27 0 to 28 0	28 1	30 0	120 0	110 0	120 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0				12 8	12 8	13 0				4 0 0	5-0 to 6-0	6-0 to 7-8
)	40 0	33 0	24 0	25 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	130 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	...				10 0	10 0	11 0				3-0 to 5-0	3-8 to 5-0	4-8 to 10-
	...	...	23 0	25 0	25 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 2 0				11 8	11 8	12 8				...	...	...
)	30 0	31 0	26 0	27 0	28 0	140 0	160 0	160 0	3 6 0	3 8 0	3 8 0				11 0	11 0	11 0				4-12 to 7-8	4-0 to 6-0	6-0 to 10-
	...	...	27 0	28 0	30 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 6 0	...				11 0	11 8	10 8				6 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0
	...	...	25 13	26 4	31 8	126 0	126 0	126 0	3 2 3	3 2 3	3 1 0				12 0	12 1	12 10				3 12 0	4 0 0	5-10 to 7-
	...	...	24 0	24 10	29 10	126 8	151 8	151 8	3 0 6	3 3 1	...				12 0	12 10	12 10				4-0 to 5-0	4-0 to 5-0	6-0 to 10-
	...	...	22 0	20 0	23 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	4 10 0				10 0	10 0	8 0				4-11 to 5-10	4-0 to 5-0	7-0 to 16-
	...	...	22 0	23 0	26 0	120 0	160 0	120 0	3 4 0	3 7 0	3 0 0				11 0	11 0	12 0				...	...	...
	...	...	21 0	20 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	...	4 7 0	...				10 0	9 0	10 8				...	...	...
	13 2	14 7	17 1	18 6	22 5	80 0	80 0	160 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0				14 0	14 0	13 0				5 10 0	4 0 0	7-8 to 10-0
	...	...	18 6	18 6	15 0	104 0	104 0	100 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0				14 0	14 0	14 8				7 0 0	5 0 0	8-0 to 10-0
	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	...	...	...				9 2	8 0	13 0				...	...	...
	30 0	33 0	19 0	18 0	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	3 15 3	3 15 3	3 12 9				9 0	9 0	10 0				5 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0
	29 0	38 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	110 0	120 0	120 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 0 0				9 0	9 0	9 0				3-0 to 4-8	3-8 to 5-0	6-0 to 12-0
	...	...	24 0	24 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0				8 0	8 0	8 0				3 0 0	4 8 0	5-0 to 12-0
	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	3 9 0	3 7 0	3 12 0				10 8	10 0	11 0				4 11 0	4 0 0	10 0 0

u In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Brahmunberriah 12 seers and Chandpore 12-8 seers.
v Retail price of salt at Kumeriah 10 seers, and Hathazaree and Cox's Bazar 8 seers.
w In the interior retail prices of salt range from 8 to 12-4 seers.
x In Nowada retail price of salt 10 seers.
y In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are 10-8 to 11 seers.
z In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Madhubani 9 seers and Tajpur 12 seers.
z1 In the interior retail prices of salt range from 9 to 12 seers.
z2 In the sub-divisions retail price of salt are as follow :—Sewan 11-4 seers, and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
z3 In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 12 seers.
z4 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Beguserai 10 seers and Jamui 11 seers.
z5 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Banka and Soopole 11 seers and Muddehpoora 10 seers.
z6 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Kissengunge 8 seers and Arrareah (at Raneegunge) 11 seers.
z7 In Khoorda retail price of salt 13 seers.
z8 Retail price of salt at Bhadrak 10 seers.
z9 Retail price of salt at Chutra 10 seers and Khurruckdiha 11-8 seers.
z10 Retail price of salt at Raghunathpore 11 seers and Mussulpore 12-8 seers.

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum.*			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata.*		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Sylhet	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cachar																		
Goálpárá																		
Gáro Hills																		
Kámrúp																		
Darrang																		
Nowgong																		
Sibságar																		
Lakhimpur																		
Khási & Jaintiá Hills																		
Nága Hills																		
Dehra Dún	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saharanpur	20 15½	20 15½	19 5½	31 3	32 4	27 15	8 9½	8 9½	9 11	11 13	11 13	12 14	26 14	26 14	25 13	17 3	17 3	23 10½
Muzaffarnagar	19 4	19 12	17 0	35 0	35 5	29 11	6 9	6 9	12 2	12 2	14 5	33 0	33 0	24 6	26 6	26 6	22 0	
Meerut	18 0	18 8	18 0	30 0	30 0	24 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	29 0	29 0	25 0	20 0	21 0	21 0
Bulandshahr	19 0	19 14	19 4	23 0	27 8	23 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0	10 5	11 0	26 0	28 0	23 0	16 0	18 0	20 0
Aligarh	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumaun	15 0	15 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	22 0	22 0	23 8	23 0	23 0	25 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	30 0*	30 0*	30 0*
Bijnor	19 13	20 4	16 0	31 12	31 12	24 3	16 11	10 4	11 4	12 2	11 13	12 6	23 10	24 12	21 6	21 6	21 6	18 0
Moradabad	19 11	20 5	18 12	30 10	31 4	25 0	10 10	10 10	9 6	13 12	13 12	13 12	23 2	23 2	23 12	14 6	14 6	19 6
Budaun	19 8	19 8	17 6	29 6	30 0	21 9½	8 6	8 6	9 9½	13 3	14 1½	15 0	...	...	16 12½	...	...	18 0
Bareilly	18 2	18 2	16 14	25 10	26 4	25 0	7 8	7 8	8 2	13 2	13 2	13 12	23 12	23 12	20 0	18 12	18 12	20 10
Sháhjahanpur	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái Pergunnahs	21 4	23 0	19 0	32 8	37 8	30 0	8 12	8 12	7 8	14 0	13 12	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muttra	17 0	18 0	16 12	24 8	25 8	21 8	7 0	7 0	...	12 0	12 0	14 8	22 0	22 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	18 0
Agra	16 12	16 8	16 12	24 0	23 8	20 8	5 12	5 12	6 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	21 0	21 0	20 0
Farukhabad	18 4½	19 6½	16 7	26 6	27 11	21 1	7 2	7 2	8 3	12 9½	12 9½	14 10	26 12	26 7	21 13½	20 5	20 3	20 7½
Mainpuri	18 0	18 10	18 0	24 8	27 8	21 0	4 0	4 8	5 0	10 0	10 8	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etáwah	17 0	17 0	17 0	20 8	20 8	22 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	12 8	12 8	14 8	24 0	24 0	16 0	22 8	22 8	16 0
Etah	19 6	19 4	19 0	27 0	27 0	23 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	22 0	22 0	...	22 0	20 8	18 0
Jalaun	18 0	19 0	19 0	20 0	22 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	25 0	25 0	28 0	22 0	23 0	22 0
Jhánsi	21 9½	23 0	21 4	38 14	40 0	33 3	10 0	10 0	8 8	17 0	17 0	15 0	33 6	35 0	27 2¼	...	...	...
Lalitpur	21 0	22 0	21 8	40 0	40 0	37 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	36 0	38 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	26 0
Cawnpore	18 4	18 8	17 8	26 8	28 0	24 8	10 0	10 0	10 8	14 0	14 0	15 0	27 0	28 0	24 0	23 0	23 0	24 0
Fatehpur	16 10	17 6	16 2	25 0	26 0	21 10	11 4	11 4	11 4	15 8	15 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda	23 0	23 0	17 8	34 0	34 0	25 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 8	14 8	13 8	33 0	34 0	30 0	33 0	33 0	...
Allahabad	17 10	18 2	16 10	28 8	29 8	24 0	10 8	10 0	11 8	16 0	17 8	17 8	32 0	32 0	28 0	31 0	30 8	27 0
Hamirpur	18 4	19 2	15 0	17 0	...	22 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	28 2	24 0	22 0	...	...	...
Jaunpur	20 8	20 8	18 5	31 12	32 12	28 15	7 12	7 12	8 7	14 2	14 2	16 14	...	...	...	...	...	22 9
Gorakhpur	18 14	18 14	18 0	25 3	27 0	27 3	13 1	12 9½	14 6½	16 3	16 3	18 13	...	28 13	...	...	...	...
Basti	18 0	19 0	18 0	32 0	36 0	23 0	13 12	13 12	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	18 6	18 6	19 3	25 1	25 14	30 4	10 5	10 5	8 14	14 12	14 12	17 11	29 8	29 8	...	20 10	20 10	20 10
Mirzapur	17 0	17 8	16 8	26 0	27 0	23 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	14 8	14 8	18 0	29 0	29 0	26 0	27 0	28 0	26 0
Benares	16 4	17 1½	16 13	25 8	25 4	25 6	10 9	11 11	12 7	16 4	17 5½	18 15½	28 12	28 12	28 3	28 12	28 12	28 11½
Gházipur	19 5	19 5	19 5	27 0½	27 0½	27 11	9 0	9 0	10 15½	16 1½	16 1½	20 15½	25 12	25 12	33 7½	26 6½	26 6½	25 12
Balia	18 4	18 12	16 4	27 8	28 4	26 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 12	18 12	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilibhít	20 8	21 2	17 10	35 8	36 4	29 12	15 0	15 0	14 8	16 4	16 8	16 4	18 12	...	...	...	...	...
Lucknow	18 1	18 9½	16 7	28 12	27 14	23 9	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 12	13 2½	14 1½	30 10	30 8	22 8	24 10	24 8	23 4
Unáo	18 8	18 8	17 0	24 0	26 0	24 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	28 0	30 0	...	23 0	24 0	...
Bára Banki	18 0	18 8	16 4	28 0	29 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	32 0	33 0	31 0	21 0	22 0	20 0
Sitapur	21 14½	22 4	20 0	36 0	35 0	27 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	32 0	32 0	20 0	26 0	26 0	19 0
Hardui	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kheri	22 8	24 0	19 0	35 0	36 0	28 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	14 0	16 0	15 0	45 0	45 0	30 0	...	...	...
Fyzabad	17 8	18 0	17 0	29 8	29 0	25 0	10 0	10 0	11 4	17 0	17 0	17 8	36 0	36 0	...	...	...	...
Bharaich	19 0	19 0	17 0	42 0	42 0	38 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	37 0	38 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	18 0
Gonda	22 4	22 9½	19 8	41 12	42 0	34 8	13 14	14 4	15 12	16 0	16 2	17 8	41 0	41 12	36 8	23 4	23 12	24 4
Rai Bareli	18 12	19 4	18 6	26 8	27 8	22 14	...	...	...	15 4	15 6	15 12	...	...	23 0	22 0	20 0	18 0
Sultánpur	28 8	21 8	19 12	32 0	32 0	29 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	17 0	17 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0
Partábgarh	20 3	20 11	18 7	30 13	32 9	27 7	16 0	15 10	15 6	17 5	17 5	16 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gurgaon																		
Karnal																		
Hissar																		
Rohtak																		
Sirsa																		
Umballa																		
Ludhiána																		
Simla																		
Jullundur																		
Hoshiárpur																		
Kangra																		

ERS OF 80 TOLAHS.															AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.		
Millets, Ragi, Cavaru, Varagu, Cheena, Coraloo, ra, Nuglee), *Panicum miliaceum, &c.*		Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.						Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
								Wholesale.			Retail.					
Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a.	R a.	R a.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
								S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	26 14	27 15	23 10½	150 8	150 0	150 0	12 14½	12 14½	12 6	12 10½	12 9	12 1	...	5 0 0	...
...	...	27 8	27 8	22 0	110 0	110 0	132 0	12 6	12 6	11 8	11 8	11 10	11 4	12 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
...	...	26 0	26 8	21 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	12 8	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	5 0 to 6-0	5 0 0	8-0 to 10-0
...	...	24 12	25 0	21 2	130 0	140 0	130 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	...	...	...	3 0 0	5 0 0	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	12 8	12 8	12 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	4-0*l* to 8-0*p*	5 0 0	8-0*b* to 10-0*c*
...	...	10 0	10 0	9 0	280 0	280 0	200 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 13	7 13	7 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	8-0 to 10-0
...	...	23 1	22 8	19 11	135 0	135 0	135 0	...	...	...	10 13	11 4	10 2	3 8 0	4 0 0	7 8 0
...	...	23 2	23 12	20 15	125 0	125 0	162 8	12 10	12 10	12 0	12 8	12 8	11 14	4 0 0	5 0 0	...
...	...	23 6	23 11	18 4½	192 0	192 0	192 0	11 6	11 6	11 4	10 12½	11 1½	10 3	...	4 0 0	...
...	...	22 8	22 8	20 0	100 0	125 0	125 0	12 8	12 8	11 14	11 14	11 14	11 4	2-8 to 3-0	4 0 0	6-0 to 8-0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	21 0	22 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	14 0	15 0	11 4	13 8	14 0	11 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	10 0
...	...	24 8	25 0	21 4	140 0	140 0	120 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	...
...	...	24 0	24 0	20 8	100 0	100 0	100 0	13 8	13 8	12 8	13 0	13 0	12 0	3-0 to 4-0	4 0 0	7-0 to 10-0
...	...	24 9½	24 15	21 6	156 8	156 8	156 8	12 4	12 4	11 3½	11 6	11 6	10 12	...	...	...
...	...	21 0	23 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	11 0	10 0	10 0	4 0 0	4 8 0	8 0 0
...	...	24 8	24 0	22 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...
...	...	23 0	23 8	20 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	12 0	12 2	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...
...	...	31 0	32 0	28 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	3 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0
...	...	27 14	31 6	27 4½	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	11 14	10 0	10 0	11 2	4 0 0	6 0 0	...
...	...	33 0	33 8	32 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	11 0	12 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 12	3 0 0	5 0 0	...
...	...	27 8	29 0	23 8	145 0	145 0	140 0	13 4	13 4	12 12	13 0	13 0	12 8	...	5-0 to 6-0	...
...	...	28 4	28 4	21 10	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	9 10	10 12	10 12	9 6	2-0 to 2-8	3-8 to 4-0	...
...	...	37 0	37 0	29 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 12	10 12	10 12	11 4	2-4 to 4-0	5 0 0	...
...	...	29 4	29 4	23 2	130 0	130 0	130 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	11 0	11 0	10 12	...	...	...
...	...	29 4	28 0	26 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	10 11	11 13	10 11	9 11	10 0	10 0	...	...	...
...	...	31 1	31 1	25 7	148 12	148 12	169 8	10 12	10 12	9 11	10 10	10 10	9 9	3 0 0	4 0 0	...
...	...	29 11	28 13	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 9½	11 0	...	10 6½	10 13	10 6½	...	3-0 to 4-0	...
...	...	30 0	30 0	26 0	150 0	150 0	140 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 4 6	3 12 0	6 9 0
...	...	25 13	25 13	25 1	147 8	147 8	147 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	8 8	3 4 3	3 8 0	4-11 to 5-12-6
...	...	27 0	27 0	22 0	90 0	90 0	100 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	3 4 0	4 0 0	4 8 0
...	...	25 8½	25 8	23 5	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 4	...	11 4	10 2	10 2	10 2	1 12 0	4 8 0	...
...	...	28 15½	28 15½	27 11	128 12	128 12	103 0	10 15½	10 15½	10 5	10 5	10 5	9 10½	...	...	...
...	...	28 12	28 12	28 12	90 0	100 0	100 0	11 4	11 4	10 0	11 4	11 4	10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	7 8 0
...	...	23 2½	23 12	18 8	150 0	150 0	150 0	13 8	13 8	12 12	12 12	12 12	11 12	3-0 to 4-0	4 0 0	7 0 0
...	...	24 7½	24 11½	20 11	115 0	115 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	9 8	3 0 0	4 0 0	7 8 0
...	...	26 0	27 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	7 8 0
...	...	26 0	25 0	22 0	130 0	130 0	130 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	...	3 8 0	...
...	...	28 0	27 8	20 4	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 7	12 4	12 0	11 8	11 4	10 8	4 0 0	4 0 0	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	27 8	28 0	18 8	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0
...	...	28 0	28 0	22 12	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	1-14 to 3-12	3-8 to 5-4	7-8 to 9-6
...	...	30 0	28 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	200 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	9 0	3 0 0	4-0*g* to 5-0*s*	8-0*b* to 10-0*c*
...	...	34 0	33 6	26 12	200 0	200 0	240 0	11 12	11 10	11 8	11 8	11 6	11 0	2 13 0	3 8 0	6 10 6
...	...	24 8	25 4	19 12	200 0	200 0	160 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 8	9 0	2 0 0	3-0 to 3-8	6-0 to 7-8
...	...	31 8	31 0	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 4	12 0	11 12	12 0	11 12	3 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0
...	...	27 13	27 8	23 3	200 0	200 0	200 0	...	...	11 0	10 10	10 11	10 11	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	

nds for Blacksmith. *c* Stands for Carpenter. *g* Stands for Grasscutter. *l* Stands for labourer. *p* Stands for Ploughman. *s* Stands for Syce.

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Districts.	Wheat. Present fortnight.	Wheat. Past fortnight.	Wheat. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Barley. Present fortnight.	Barley. Past fortnight.	Barley. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (best sort). Present fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Past fortnight.	Rice (best sort). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Rice (common). Present fortnight.	Rice (common). Past fortnight.	Rice (common). Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*. Present fortnight.	Great Millet. Past fortnight.	Great Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*. Present fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Past fortnight.	Bulrush Millet. Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Amritsar	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Siálkot																		
Gurdáspur																		
Lahore																		
Ferozepore																		
Gujránwála																		
Ráwalpindi																		
Jhelum																		
Gujrát																		
Shahpúr																		
Mooltan																		
Jhang																		
Montgomery																		
Muzaffargarh																		
Dera Ismail Khán																		
Dera Ghází Khán																		
Bánnu																		
Pesháwar																		
Kohát																		
Házára																		
Nágpur	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhandára																		
Chanda																		
Wardha																		
Bálaghát																		
Jubbulpore																		
Saugor																		
Damoh																		
Seoni																		
Mandla																		
Betúl																		
Chhindwára																		
Hoshungabad																		
Narsinghpur																		
Nimár																		
Raipur																		
Sambalpur																		
Biláspur																		
Arakan Division.	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Akyab																		
Northern Arakan																		
Kyoukpyoo																		
Sandoway																		
Pegu Division.																		
Rangoon Town																		
Tharrawaddy																		
Prome																		
Irrawaddy Division.																		
Henzada																		
Bassein																		
Thonegwa																		
Thayetmyo																		
Tenasserim Division.																		
Moulmein Town & Amherst																		
Tavoy																		
Mergui																		
Toungoo																		
Shwaygyin																		
Salween																		
Secunderabad	14 13	15 8	16 5	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 13	10 3	10 3	9 13	23 0	23 14	23 14	27 0	27 0	...
Bolarum	16 9	18 1	16 11	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	7 1	9 5	9 5	8 12	25 11	28 5	23 7	...	...	...
Chudderghat	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	6 0	9 8	9 8	8 0	25 0	24 0	24 0	33 0	33 0	33 0
Amráoti	16 0	16 0	16 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	26 0	25 0	26 0	15 0	15 0	20 0
Akola	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	25 0	28 0	30 0	21 0	21 0	24 0
Ellichpur	15 0	15 0	14 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	23 0	22 0	22 0	21 0	22 0	20 0
Buldana	18 0	18 0	19 0	...	...	...	..	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	21 0	20 0	28 0
Wun	19 0	19 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 8	7 0	13 8	13 8	10 8	29 4	31 4	30 0	...	...	...
Básim	21 0	21 0	20 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	5 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	28 0	27 0	32 0	...	...	...

IA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE 1883—*continued.*

EERS OF 80 TOLAHS.															AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.		
er Milots, Ragi, (Kavaru, Veragu, ee, Cheena, Coraloo, hwa, Nuglee), *Pani-Miliaceum*, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.								
									Wholesale.			Retail.					
	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
h.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a.
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	29 9	...	16 12	16 12	17 4	130 0	130 0	125 0	10 14	10 14	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 0	...	...	...
	...	...	19 2	19 15	17 13	116 14	116 14	116 14	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	10 12	...	...	...
	...	...	17 0	17 8	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	9 8	...	...	...
	...	...	18 0	18 0	20 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	12 8	12 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	4 0 0	7 0 0	15 0
	8 0	7 0	17 0	18 0	21 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	22 8
	...	...	16 0	17 0	16 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	15 0
	...	...	17 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	10 0	5 10 0	7 8 0	22 8
	...	...	19 0	19 0	22 0	300 0	300 0	100 0	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	8 0	5 10 0	7 0 0	15 0
	...	...	20 0	21 0	25 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	11 0	10 12	9 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	20 0

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Districts.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), *Holcus Sorghum*.			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), *Penicillaria Spicata*.		
	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Bangalore	11 7	12 4	12 2	12 12	13 7	13 1	9 14	10 2	10 2	10 15	10 15	11 1	27 12	27 1	24 12	...	...	...
Kolar	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	12 0	11 11	11 11	13 15	15 3	15 3	15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Túmkúr	14 0	14 0	14 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	10 8	11 0	10 4	...	...	...	10 8	12 0	10 12	12 0	13 0	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hassan	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shimoga	14 11	14 11	12 10	16 13	16 13	14 11	11 9	11 9	10 8	15 12	15 12	12 10	34 10	34 10	27 5	...	...	...
Kadur	14 0	14 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chitaldroog	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coorg	9 5	8 15	7 15	10 2	10 1	8 7	13 1	14 5	10 11	18 0	17 14	13 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jeypore	16 8	16 8	16 8	23 0	23 0	22 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	19 0	20 0	19 0
Kishengurh	17 8	15 12	15 8	22 8	23 8	22 0	11 0	8 0	7 0	12 0	9 8	8 0	23 0	24 0	22 0	17 0	18 4	19 0
Kerrowlee	19 6	18 6	17 0	26 14	26 13	20 0	12 8	12 8	13 8	13 12	13 12	15 0	26 14	26 13	20 0	22 8	23 0	17 8
Ulwur	19 3	19 7	17 0	26 9	26 11	21 8	8 10	8 10	8 0	10 10	10 10	11 11	23 7	24 12	22 2	22 14	23 8	16 0
Bhurtpore (City)	18 1	19 8	17 8	28 4	29 12	22 8	7 12	8 0	6 8	9 6	9 13	11 0	27 4	27 8	23 8	22 12	21 8	19 8
Ajmere	15 8	15 0	14 8	23 0	21 12	21 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	14 0	14 0	16 0
Deoli Cantonment	19 4	19 2	16 0	25 6	25 4	19 5	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 8	23 0	23 4	20 0	18 0	18 0	16 1
Erinpura	16 0	16 6	16 10	27 8	27 6	29 0	...	...	...	8 2	9 0	8 0	20 0	20 0	25 0	19 0	20 0	23 0
Sirohee	13 4	14 0	17 0	25 0	25 0	28 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	18 0	18 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	21 0
Abu	12 0	12 0	15 6	18 12	18 12	22 12	6 12	6 10	6 8	8 4	8 10	8 0	...	...	...	14 7	14 8	18 4
Anadra	13 4	13 4	17 2	21 4	21 12	26 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	9 0	9 4	9 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	21 0
Hilly Tracts of Meywar	20 0	20 0	18 8	26 0	26 0	26 0	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meywar (Oodeypore)	13 10¾	13 4¼	14 1	17 15¼	16 12¾	18 5¾	10 2½	10 8¾	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánswára (Meywar Agency)	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Partábgarh („)	15 11½	15 0½	15 5	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 15	11 4	11 4	13 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marwar (Jodhpore)	15 10	15 5	14 11	20 10	20 0	20 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	7 8	7 8	6 14	21 4	20 0	20 0	18 4	17 13	17 8
Bikaneer	11 11	11 11	12 0	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	3 1	6 4	6 4	6 8	...	...	...	19 12	19 12	17 10
Boondee	21 0	21 4	16 8	30 8	30 0	25 8	10 0	10 0	9 8	11 0	10 8	10 0	25 0	...	26 0	...	...	...
Kotah	20 0	20 0	16 4	25 0	25 0	21 0	10 0	10 0	8 12	13 0	13 0	11 0	26 0	26 0	20 0	15 0	15 0	16 0
Tonk	19 0	19 0	13 14	25 4	26 0	19 6	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 8	9 12	10 0	25 8	26 0	20 15	...	...	16 0
Jhallawar	18 8	19 14	15 4	23 9	23 9	15 2	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	8 13	23 7	23 7	16 4	17 2	18 5	13 5
Shahpoora	17 7	17 2	17 12	23 4	30 0	21 0	13 12	13 15	10 0	16 3	17 0	13 8	18 3	19 0	18 0	17 0	16 4	17 0
Dholpur	17 2	17 9	16 8	25 12	25 12	21 9	10 2	10 2	10 2	11 4	11 4	12 6	23 10	23 8	20 10	22 8	22 5	18 12
Indore, Gwalior, Goona, Baghelkhand (Sutna)	No return received			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
(*Statistical Branch.*)

EERS OF 80 TOLAHS.																AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.		
er Millets, Ragi, (Kavaru, Veragu, ree, Cheena, Coraloo rhwa, Nuglee), *Panicum Miliaceum, &c.*			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.									
									Wholesale.			Retail.						
Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1882.		Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Syce or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
h. S. Ch.	S. Ch.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.		R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
7 32 11	25 12		29 12	30 8	29 4	84 0	84 12	96 0	13 0	13 0	12 4	12 12	12 12	11 11		...	...	...
3 37 2	28 13		31 15	33 0	31 15	172 6	172 6	172 6	13 8	13 8	12 10	13 3	13 3	12 5		...	...	...
) 43 0	31 0		34 0	33 0	36 0	340 0	340 0	340 0	8 8	10 0	11 0	8 0	9 8	10 8		...	...	...
) 27 0	20 0		32 0	32 0	27 0	75 0	78 0	72 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 0		...	...	...
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
. 33 1	27 14		29 6	27 5	29 6	480 0	480 0	480 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 7	9 7	10 0		...	...	...
) 32 0	25 0		30 0	30 0	23 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 0		...	...	...
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
24 13	19 7		26 5	26 12	21 11	110 0	110 0	110 0	9 7	9 13	9 7	8 15	9 10	8 10		...	...	...
...	...		21 4	21 4	17 8	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	13 8	14 4	14 4	13 0		4 0 0	5·0 to 6·0	8·0 to 10·0
...	...		24 0	23 8	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 12	16 0		4 0 0	5·0 to 6·0	8·0 to 10·0
...	...		25 10	27 8	19 0	...	...	...	13 14	...*	13 10	13 0	*	13 8		...	...	...
...	...		26 6	27 15	20 15	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	15 13	15 0	15 0	15 6		...	...	...
...	...		26 0	27 8	20 8	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	14 8	13 0	13 0	14 0		...	...	...
...	...		23 0	23 0	20 8	70 0	70 0	70 0	17 0	17 0	...	15 0	15 0	15 0		...	...	...
...	...		25 5	25 3	19 2	...	...	...	13 12	14 0	...	13 8	13 8	13 1		...	...	...
									R a. p.	R a. p. per md.	R a. p							
...	...		20 4	20 6	23 0	160 0	160 0	170 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	3 1 2	13 0	13 0	12 0		6 0 0	6 0 0	12 0 0
...	...		18 0	18 0	20 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 5 0	12 5	12 5	11 7		4 11 0	...	9 6 0
...	...		16 0	16 0	18 12	160 0	160 0	160 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8		...	...	...
...	...		17 8	17 4	21 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	12 4	12 4	11 8		...	...	...
...	...		24 0	23 0	24 0	†	‡	‡	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	11 0	11 0	10 8		...	...	...
									S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.							
...	...		17 3	16 6½	16 12¾	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 9	9 9	10 2¼	9 6	9 6	9 12¼		...	...	...
									R a. p.	R a. p. per md.	R a. p.							
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
...	...		20 15	20 5	19 11	...	...	...	2 6 9	...	...	16 9	17 0	10 0		6 0 0	4 13 0	12·0 to 16·0
...	...		20 0	19 6	18 2	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 9 0	2 9 0	15 10	15 5	15 0		...	...	...
									S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.							
...	...		17 8	17 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8		...	...	...
...	...		31 8	29 0	24 8	160 0	160 0	140 0	12 4	12 8	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 8		5 10 0	5 10 0	7·8 to 15·0
...	...		28 0	28 0	23 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 12	14 0	12 4	12 4	13 8	11 12		...	...	...
...	...		26 0	26 8	18 15	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 8	13 4	12 10	12 0	13 0	12 7		3 12 0	2 13 0	7·8 to 15·0
...	...		24 12	25 14	20 1	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	9 13	10 4	10 4	9 11		...	...	...
...	...		23 3	23 0	19 6	160 0	160 0	160 0	13 2	13 14	13 8	13 0	13 6	13 4		4 11 0	4 11 0	9 6 0
...	...		25 1	25 9	20 10	...	...	...	12 15	12 15	12 15	12 2	12 2	12 3		...	...	...
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...		...	...	...

* Not received. † Ten pies per bundle. ‡ Eight pies per bundle.

D. BARBOUR,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Comparative Statement of the Nett Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue) for the first three months of the official year 1883-84, and of the twelve preceding years.

(IN THOUSANDS OF RUPEES.)

YEAR.	FOR THE THREE MONTHS, APRIL TO JUNE.																									YEAR.
	BENGAL.				BOMBAY.				SINDH.				MADRAS.				BRITISH BURMA.				TOTAL BRITISH INDIA.					
	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	Total Import Revenue.	Export Revenue.	Total Revenue.	
1-72 . .	2,46	16,87	5,35	24,68	2,37	7,46	1,11	10,94	27	24	32	83	94	2,99	3,89	7,82	35	1,11	6,69	8,15	6,39	28,67	35,06	17,36	52,42	1871-72.
2-73 . .	3,19	15,58	5,68	24,45	1,52	10,34	1,09	12,95	26	22	79	1,27	1,03	3,37	3,16	7,56	91	1,27	11,85	14,03	6,91	30,78	37,69	22,57	60,26	1872-73.
3-74 . .	2,24	15,12	3,85	21,21	1,69	8,65	1,12	11,46	30	15	29	74	1,05	3,42	3,86	8,33	90	1,19	11,04	13,13	6,18	28,53	34,71	20,16	54,87	1873-74.
4-75 . .	3,06	16,42	3,38	22,86	1,70	8,74	1,01	11,45	30	11	26	67	91	3,70	3,21	7,82	1,11	1,79	8,09	10,99	7,08	30,76	37,84	15,95	53,79	1874-75.
5-76 . .	3,08	19,81	4.36	27,25	1,88	10,38	2,88	15,14	28	28	66	1,22	1,13	3,60	3,92	8,65	1,10	1,08	14,60	16,78	7,47	35,15	42.62	26,42	69,04	1875-76.
6-77 . .	3,38	15,70	2,66	21,74	2,08	9,12	44	11,64	34	14	7	55	1,47	3,30	2,26	7,03	1,30	1,40	9,92	12,62	8,57	29,66	38,23	15,35	53,58	1876-77.
7-78 . .	3,80	19,07	3,06	25,93	2,61	10,90	47	13,98	55	22	13	90	1,35	1,85	48	3,68	1,38	1,56	8,49	11,43	9,69	33,60	43,29	12,63	55,92	1877-78.
8-79 . .	3,39	16,13	3,24	22,76	2,27	10,62	58	13,47	48	11	9	68	1,51	2,60	1,14	5,25	2,12	1,84	9,96	13,92	9,77	31,30	41,07	15,01	56,08	1878-79.
9-80 . .	2,89	15,23	1,93	20,05	2,40	8,32	63	11,35	71	21	7	99	1,30	1,91	1,30	4,51	1,84	1,46	12,40	15,70	9,14	27,13	36,27	16,33	52,60	1879-80.
0-81 . .	3,33	12,19	1,85	18,17	2,29	10,75	53	13,57	1,21	25	8	1,54	1,41	2,49	2,44	6,34	1,32	1,87	12,64	15,83	9,56	28,35	37,91	17,54	55,45	1880-81.
1-82 . .	3,59	13,46	3,15	20,20	2,85	10,35	58	14,28	1,14	36	11	1,61	1,24	2,51	2,14	5,89	1,90	1,91	13,82	17,63	10,72	29,09	39,81	19,80	59,61	1881-82.
2-83 . .	3,85	1	3,42	7,28	3,02	—68*	50	2,84	92	2	18	1,12	1,42	...	1,11	2,53	2,32	1	18,99	21,32	11,53	—64*	10,89	24,20	35,0[illegible]	1882-83.
3-84 . .	3,62	3	4,81	8,46	2,83	14	34	3,31	97	1	16	1,14	1,28	1	1,55	2,84	2,25	5	15,56	17,86	10,95	24	11,19	22,42	33,61	1883-84.

* The amount refunded is greater than the duty collected.

PARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,
STATISTICAL BRANCH;
Calcutta, 23rd July 1883.

D. BARBOUR,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXV OF 1883.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 1st July 1882. Total.	Per mile open.	Total mean length open.	Receipts for week ending 30th June 1883. Total.	Per mile open.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 1st July 1882. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Receipts from 1st April to 30th June 1883. Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total Increase in 1883-84.	Total Decrease in 1883-84
	Guaranteed.		R	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
7th July 1883	Eastern Bengal . .	172	96,394	560	207	1,12,365	543	9,66,272	428	12,01,243	446	2,34,971	...
7th ditto .	Oudh and Rohilkhund	547	1,10,009	201	547	1,06,779	195	14,78,914	206	17,36,301	244	2,57,387	...
7th ditto .	Sind, Punjab & Delhi .	676	2,18,996	324	748	2,89,091	386	25,89,629	291	33,07,119	344	7,17,490	...
30th June 1883	Madras . . .	858	1,94,549	227	861	1,30,061	151	18,81,623	167	17,07,276	153	...	1,74,347
30th ditto .	South Indian . .	655	1,05,151	161	655	85,758	131	10,71,792	125	10,37,776	122	...	34,016
7th July 1883	Great Indian Peninsula	1,458	4,89,385	336	1,458	5,37,004	368	1,07,89,029	566	1,17,13,414	618	9,24,385	...
30th June 1883	Bombay, Baroda and Central India . .	461	3,06,309	664	461	1,74,085	378	35,13,198	580	38,22,698	638	3,09,500	...
	TOTAL .	4,827	15,20,793	315	4,937	14,35,143	291	2,22,90,457	351	2,45,25,827	382	22,35,370	...
	State.												
7th July 1883	East Indian . .	1,507	8,44,197	560	1,509	11,55,469	766	1,17,02,020	591	1,40,90,792	719	23,88,772	...
7th ditto .	Calcutta and South-Eastern . . .	33	11,595	351	56	7,695	137	55,751	146	80,964	120	25,213	...
7th ditto .	Nalhati . .	27	1,582	59	27	1,397	52	18,708	53	21,491	61	2,783	...
7th ditto .	Northern Bengal .	233	46,361	199	230	42,833	186	4,95,325	162	5,28,106	177	32,781	...
7th ditto .	Tirhoot . . .	85	11,035	130	166	13,538	82	1,70,182	153	2,16,830	102	46,648	...
2nd June 1883	Patna-Gya . . .	57	9,477	166	...	(a)	...	(b)94,551	181	(c)93,015	181	...	1,536
7th July 1883	Muttra-Hathras . .	29	2,746	95	29	2,287	79	31,453	83	34,493	91	3,040	...
7th ditto .	Cawnpore-Furrukhabad	87	10,190	117	87	7,506	86	89,601	78	90,223	80	622	...
7th ditto .	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	1,039	87	12	817	68	14,888	94	15,691	101	803	...
7th ditto .	Rajputana-Malwa .	1,117	3,61,944	324	1,117	2,76,200	247	31,08,867	212	36,07,200	248	4,98,333	...
7th ditto .	Wardha Coal . .	45	24,966	555	45	20,413	454	1,83,075	309	2,11,067	361	27,992	...
7th ditto .	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh	98	11,197	114	149	15,033	101	2,13,705	166	5,25,271	271	3,11,566	...
7th ditto .	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley . .	161	26,992	168	161	22,173	138	4,37,520	207	4,14,614	198	...	22,906
7th ditto .	Sindia	75	7,414	99	75	6,147	82	86,004	88	84,837	87	...	1,167
7th ditto .	Punjab Northern .	412	88,853	216	419	58,159	139	8,08,918	155	7,85,237	143	...	23,681
7th ditto .	Indus Valley and Kandahar . . .	660	1,15,715	175	660	2,16,312	328	11,34,439	131	22,23,025	259	10,88,586	...
7th ditto .	Muttra-Achnera .	23	1,850	80	23	1,090	47	16,817	55	19,582	65	2,765	...
7th ditto .	Kaunia-Dhurla . .	32	1,188	37	32	1,673	52	21,026	50	25,256	61	4,230	...
7th ditto .	Rewari-Ferozepore .	...	...	...	89	8,900	100	...	...	84,617	73	84,617	...
	TOTAL .	3,186	7,34,144	230	3,377	7,02,173	208	69,80,830	167	90,61,519	203	20,80,689	...
	Native States.												
7th July 1883	Bhavnagar-Gondal .	194	12,978	67	193	15,846	82	3,25,672	127	3,67,270	146	41,598	...
7th June 1883	Nizam's . . .	121	33,553	277	121	15,117	125	2,38,883	150	1,98,693	126	...	40,190
7th ditto .	Mysore . . .	86	18,341	213	...	(a)	...	(d)60,453	57	(e)60,829	59	576	...
7th July 1883	Jodhpore . . .	19	29	2	19	670	35	(f)35	...	10,056	41	10,021	...
	TOTAL .	420	64,901	155	333	31,633	95	6,24,843	118	6,36,848	117	12,005	...
	GRAND TOTAL .	9,940	31,64,035	318	10,156	33,24,418	327	4,15,98,150	319	4,83,14,986	361	67,16,836	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES .	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,91,35,149	147	2,31,91,193	173	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS .	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,24,63,001	172	2,51,23,793	188	26,60,792	...

(a) Return not received.
(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 3rd June 1882.
(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 2nd June 1883.
(d) Total receipts from 1st April to 24th June 1882.
(e) Total receipts from 1st April to 23rd June 1883.
(f) Total receipts from 24th June to 1st July 1882.

R. A. SARGEANT, Major, R.E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION BRANCH.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS IN BENGAL FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1883-84.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to the end of April 1883.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land under irrigation during month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation last year at same time.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED. Five years. All crops.	Five years. Khurreef.	ANNUAL LEASES. Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugar-cane.	Bhadoi.	Hot weather.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.	RAINFALL, 1883-84. During month.	Up to end of month.	RAINFALL, 1882-83. During month.	Up to end of month.	REMARKS.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara	1,269	289·50	89·06	190	746	...	...	...	48	..	...	20	68	68	0·03	0·03	1·69	1·69	The khurreef leases expired with the official year 1882-83.
		Gobri	372·82	218·09	109·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
		Pattamoondee	1,042	27·80	20	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	4	6	6					
		High Level, Section I	675	158·50	13	5	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	1	68	68					
		Taldunda, 1st Reach	1,300	188·00	188	267	152	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	23	23					
		Ditto, 2nd do.	650	44·00	44																
		Matchgong	650	98·00	98	21	596	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
	Balasore	High Level, Section II	727·16	...	..	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
		Ditto do. III	727·16	189·44	...	122	144	...													
	Total		...	...	...	611	1,638	...	...	...	140	...	...	25	165	165	...	...	...	..	
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	...	123,823	...	...	5	...	...	5	123,828	...	..	...	...	
South-Western.	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	67	...	...	...	...	53,455	...	...	...	..	..	...	53,455	3·41	3·41	2·68	2·68	Leases for 36,833 acres expired on the 31st March 1883.
	Howrah	Panchkoorah	522	19	...	...	...	...	9,801	...	...	...	...	..	..	9,801	2·00	2·00	1·51	1·51	
	Total		...	...	...	...	...	...	63,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	63,256	...	..	..	...	
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	...	103,862	...	...	...	...	...	...	103,862	...	..	...	...	
Bone.	Shahabad	Western Main	4,342	788	*	1,286	389	3,733	...	...	...	396	...	..	396	4,029	...	...	...	...	** No part of the discharge in the Buxar Division was utilized for irrigation during month. Main Western Canal series were closed from 6th to 16th April 1883.
		Buxar	1,226	71	*	2,505	641	11,036	...	...	...	2,089	...	...	2,089	13,125					
		Arrah	1,660	462	387	10,000	6,606	51,852	...	..	...	1,375	...	2,464	3,839	55,691	...	...	0·05	0·05	
	Patna and Gya	Eastern Main	1,466	71	58	... 65	93	214	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	214	0·18	0·18	...	...	
		Patna					2,415	10,918	...	...	..	8	...	65	73	10,991					
	Total		...	...	...	13,916	10,144	77,653	...	...	...	3,868	..	2,529	6,397	84,050	...	...	...	...	
	Total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	44,041	..	...	...	11,667	...	...	11,667	55,708	...	..	...	...	
	Grand Total		...	...	...	14,527	11,782	77,653	63,256	...	140	3,868	.	2,554	6,562	147,471	...	...	...	...	
	Grand total of the corresponding period of last year.		...	...	...	...	...	44,041	227,685	...	...	11,672	...	...	11,672	283,398	...	...	...	...	

The 2nd July 1883.

G. F. E. S. NEILL, *Major, M.S.C.,*
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF IN THE PUNJAB FOR 1883-84 UP TO 31st MAY 1883.

Canal Division.	Water distributed during May 1883. Depth in Canal at Regulating Gauge. Full supply.	Actual throughout.	Gross Consumption, cubic feet per second. Estimated full supply.	Actual average throughout.	Navigation return canal. Principal items of traffic. Up.	Down.	Land irrigated (approximate). Zila.	Acres.	Rainfall. Average	During month.	Chief crops (approximate). Name.	Area in acres	Remarks.
Bari Doab Canal. 1st Division	4·9	4·5	3,073·60	1,071	...	...	Gurdáspur	7,017	1·0	0·5	Cotton	16,633	On the Bari Doáb Canal the demand for water during the month was moderate, owing to the cultivators having been occupied in harvest operations. The prospects of the present crop are favorable. There is a decrease of 819 acres as compared with the corresponding period of last year.
2nd Division, Main Branch, Lower	4·6	4·0		996	...	...	Amritsar	17,003	1·1	2·0	Rice	933	
2nd do., Lahore Branch	3·35	3·1		635	..	...	Lahore	26,846	1·3	4·7	Sugarcane	8,969	
Passed out of Escapes	...	...	...	110	...	...	...	...	...	...	Others	24,331	
Total Bári Doáb Canal	...	...	3,073·60	2,812	...	...	...	50,866	...	...	...	50,866	
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	3,073·60	2,451·88	...	...	...	51,685	...	...	...	51,685	
Western Jumna Canal. Karnál Division	4·33	4·51	2,546	486	...	321,614 kurries, bullies, &c.; 4,064 maunds fire-wood; and 11,863 cubic feet wood.	Umballa	307	0·79	1·97	Cotton	13,879	The operations on the Western Jumna Canal during the month show a decrease of 15,417 acres as compared with those of May 1882; the difference averages nearly 3,100 acres for each of the five following districts: Karnál, Hissar, Jind, Rohtak, and Delhi. There is a total decrease of 13,377 acres of sugarcane in the whole Circle as compared with last year, which is attributed to the low price of sugar prevailing, owing to the large crop of last year.
Delhi do.	5·70	5·83		845			Karnál	7,385	1·37	1·22	Rice	140	
Hánsi do.	9·00	7·78		870			Delhi	17,137	0·60	0·90	Sugarcane	31,278	
Do. Bulla Head	8·80	7·41		245			Rohtak	16,004	0·45	1·10	Others	7,117	
Passed out of Escapes	...	...	...	250	...		Hissár	8,601	0·50	1·00	...	...	
							Jhind	2,904	0·20	0·80	...	...	
							Bíkaner	298	...	...	...	...	
							Kalsia State	78	...	...	...	...	
Total Western Jumna Canal	...	...	2,546	2,696	...	321,614	...	52,714	...	...	...	52,714	
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	2,546	2,612	...	109,024	...	68,131	...	...	...	68,131	
Inundation Canals. Upper Sutlej Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lahore	600	...	...	Detail not obtainable for want of establishment.	...	On the Inundation Canal there is a decrease of 100,816 acres as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, which is wholly due to the low state of the rivers during the month.
Lower Sutlej and Chenab Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	Montgomery	1,600	...	...		...	
Indus Canals	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mooltan	34,565	0·4	1·5		...	
Muzaffargarh Canals	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Gházi Khan	4,143	0·54	...	...	...	
							Muzaffargarh	52,344	...	...	...	...	
Total Inundation Canals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93,252	...	...	...	93,252	
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	194,068	...	...	...	194,068	
Perennial Canals, Grand Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	103,580	...	...	...	103,580	
Do. corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119,816	...	...	...	119,816	

J. E. CATTON,

Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt., Punjab, P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.